

Indications Point To St. Laurent As Leader

Israel Invites Arabs To Talk Holy Land Peace

TEL AVIV (Reuter)—The Israeli government has invited the Arab governments to peace negotiations in Palestine, it was announced officially here tonight.

At the end of a three-hour talk with Count Folke Bernadotte, United Nations' mediator, Moshe Shertok, Israeli foreign minister, told the mediator:

"I approach on behalf of the Israeli provisional government with the request that you transmit to the belligerent powers an invitation to meet the provisional government for peace negotiations."

Spy Probe 'Red Herring' For Inflation, Says Truman

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman today called the United States congressional "spy" investigations a "red herring" to divert attention from lack of action on inflation.

In a written statement, the President asked the Republican congressional leadership to reconsider present plans for "quick adjournment" of the special session. He again asked action on price controls and other phases of his anti-inflation program which the Republicans are planning to ignore.

"There is still time for the Congress to fulfill its responsibility to the American people," Truman said. "Our people will not be satisfied with the feeble compromises that apparently are being concocted."

His remarks on the Communist investigations were delivered off-hand at a news conference. He said neither Senate nor House inquiries have developed anything not already known to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

What has been brought out in testimony to the committees proved insufficient to indict those accused, he remarked.

This was in reference to the fact that a New York grand jury has heard most, if not all, of the stories now being unfolded before the congressional committees.

Truman said the committee hearings have slandered a lot of people and done irreparable harm.

Meanwhile at hearings the following developments were noted:

1. Representative John McDowell (Rep., Pa.) told how uranium, raw material for atomic bombs, was shipped to Russia during the war. He withheld details.

2. Representative John Rankin (Dem., Miss.) proposed the House of Representatives un-American activities committee call in Henry A. Wallace for questioning.

3. Alger Hiss, former state department official, went before the committee at his own request and swore: "I am not and never have been a member of the Communist Party."

2 Victoria Women On Convention Stage

OTTAWA (CP)—Several of Canada's leading women Liberals took their place on the platform at the National Liberal Convention today alongside Prime Minister King, cabinet ministers, and other prominent Liberal heads.

Among them were Mrs. Nancy Hodges of Victoria, president of the National Federation of Liberal Women, and Mrs. S. C. Tweed of Ottawa, assistant director of the National Liberal Federation.

Mrs. J. L. Gates of Victoria, one of a number of women delegates representing federal constituencies, also was present, as well as Senator Cairine Wilson and Miss M. R. Pelletier of Quebec City.

Baron Sandys Dead At 92

LONDON (AP)—Michael Edwin Marcus, Baron Sandys, 92, former member of London Stock Exchange, died here Wednesday. Until recently Lord Sandys possessed unusual vigor for his age. On his 92nd birthday last December he confided "it has only been a few years since I gave up boxing."

Russians Relax Money Blockade For Time Being

BERLIN (AP)—The Russians relaxed today their financial blockade of Berlin for the present.

The Soviet action came on the third day after western envoys had talked in the Kremlin with Prime Minister Stalin.

It indicated the Russians might be willing to compromise on the east-west currency war, which the Russians assigned as a reason for imposing a land blockade on the strife-torn city.

Charles Giffard, British finance officer, told a press conference the anti-Communist city government of Berlin had reached an arrangement for the release of enough funds from blocked Russian mark accounts to meet its week-end payments.

Giffard said a similar arrangement was reached for western sector firms.

Meanwhile, the British-licensed newspaper Die Welt said it had reports of many hunger demonstrations by Germans in the Soviet zone. It said these increased when the Russians requisitioned food for their announced program of feeding Germans in the western sector of Berlin.

Die Welt said clashes had occurred on farms in the Soviet zone as hungry Germans tried to seize food during harvesting.

The Americans smashed their own record again Wednesday, carrying in 2,104 tons of supplies in 303 flights. The R.A.F. made 242 flights in the same 24-hour period, carrying in an estimated 1,000 tons.

British, American and French envoys conferred for three hours in Moscow Wednesday night on their next step in negotiations with Russia.

Informants said they may have discussed whether to seek another appointment with Prime Minister Stalin in order to inform him of the view of their home governments.

United States air force officials said hereafter planes will depart on cargo runs every three minutes, weather permitting, instead of at the present four-minute interval.

Longview Man Faces Charge Of Murder

LONGVIEW, Wash. (AP)—A first degree murder charge was on file today against Howard Bozarth, 45, whose wife, Oswald, 35, was found beaten to death in their home July 28.

Coroner Gordon Quarnstrom said the woman had apparently been beaten about the head and face with a piece of stove wood. The couple lived in a rural area near Woodland.

LATEST

Police Arrest 3 On Car Raid Charges

Suspected of being responsible for some of the numerous car prowlings reported to the police recently, three middle-aged men were arrested this afternoon and are being held in the city lockup on theft charges. Arrest was made by Constable John Sweeney, who was called by city workmen who saw one of the three enter a car and take a valise. All three have long records of petty thefts, vagrancy and drunkenness.

Embargo Denied

RIO DE JANEIRO (CP)—Canadian embassy officials have denied reports that Brazil had embargoed wheat flour shipments from Canada. Authorities said Brazil, however, has returned wheat flour to the import license list.

Grinder Mangles Arm

TORONTO (CP)—Ann Fowler, 23, of Toronto, had her right arm mangled to the elbow when it caught in a meat grinder today. Machinists who cut the grinder away to free the girl were praised by Dr. Smirle Lawson, who said her hand and forearm will likely be saved.

Narcotic Charges

VANCOUVER (CP)—Two men were charged with possession of narcotics today following their arrest Wednesday night. They are 48-year-old Floyd Pendergast and George Correll, 44.

Super Chief Sabotage Fails



An unsuccessful attempt to wreck eastbound Super Chief near South Pasadena, Calif., is under investigation. Here Police Chief E. C. Setzer, left, studies 36-foot steel rail, foreground, which had been placed across the tracks. The locomotive apparently threw it off tracks, thus preventing derailment. Lieut. R. B. Blakely, right, looks in vain for fingerprints.

They Can't Find Room For All Their Cash



Problem confronting these German women is: where to put all that money. The notes are old German currency, since replaced by new western marks. Berlin's banks will not exchange large amounts of the old into the new, so the Berliners have a storage problem. Scene is the cashier's office of the Telegraf, English language newspaper in Berlin.

Hamilton Crew Wins First Heat In Olympic Sculling

HENLEY-ON-THAMES, Eng. (CP)—Canada won its heat in the opening eight-oared Olympic rowing competition today.

The husky Leander crew from Hamilton, Ont., finished ahead of Portugal in second place, with Ireland third.

The Canadians' time was 6 minutes 7.2 seconds, against Portugal's 6:10.5 and Ireland's 6:30.6.

At Wembley Stadium Arthur Wint of Jamaica won the 400-metre run from his negro teammate Herb McKenzie and Sweden broke Finland's long monopoly of steepchase victories as two more track and field championships were run off.

Bob McFarlane of London, Ont., Canada's only qualifier for the semifinals, had been eliminated from the six-man championship was run.

The two Jamaica negroes had no close competition as they streaked down the brick-red Wembley track.

Diminutive Dr. Sammy Lee of Pasadena, Calif., won the Olympic high-tower diving championship, the only other title decided by mid-afternoon. His closest competition was Bruce Harlan, the American who won the springboard title previously.

Dr. George Athans of Vancouver, 16th in yesterday's compulsory dives, put on a fine display today to boost himself to eighth place at the end.

Fanny Blankers-Koen, already a double winner with victory in the 100-metre dash and 80-metre hurdles, won her semifinal heat in the women's 200-metre dash, well on the way to her third gold medal.

Canada's three entrants in the event, a new one on the women's program, were eliminated in the preliminary round. Two from each heat qualified. Diane Foster and Millie Cheater placed third in their heats, Donna Gilmour fifth. All are from Vancouver.

Vivian King of Winnipeg qualified for the second round of the women's 400-metre freestyle swimming race. Fifth in her heat, she advanced because she was among the four "fastest losers" picked to move ahead.

Kay McNamee of Victoria failed to qualify and Canada's men swimmers met the same fate. Doug Gibson of Toronto, and Allan Gilchrist of Ocean Falls, B.C., were eliminated in the 1,500-metre freestyle preliminaries.

Gaby Beaudry and Ted Graves of Ottawa placed third in their double sculls heat as Olympic rowing began.

CANADA THIRD

Bill Gooderham and Gerry Fairhead of Toronto, sailed their star class craft to fourth place in their race at Torquay, Devon, third of a seven-contest series. The locomotive apparently threw it off tracks, thus preventing derailment. Lieut. R. B. Blakely, right, looks in vain for fingerprints.

Loss Of \$20,000 Now Estimated In James Bay Fire

Loss in the fire which gutted the 50x130-foot frame warehouse structure leased by Capital Iron Works on Montreal Street and damaged adjacent buildings Wednesday evening, was estimated today around \$20,000.

Most of the loss was covered by insurance.

Maurice Greene, manager of the works, on his return from a trip this morning, reported contents of the structure were mostly ship's engine components worth about \$10,000, which had been insured.

The building itself was covered in a blanket insurance policy by the owners, McKay-Cormack Ltd., shipbuilding firm, which was formerly Falconer's Marine Industries Ltd.

City Fire Chief Robert T. Brindle, after a survey of the situation at the fire scene during the morning, said damage by fire and water to James Bay Upholstery shop, operated by Sinar Tangaa, a Dane, was around \$700. This building is the shipbuilding firm's property and is covered under the blanket policy.

The chief estimates damage to Wilby Machinery Shop at \$150 and \$50 to the roof of a nearby house.

Fire Chief Brindle would not comment about the results of his investigations as to the cause of the fire.

(See story page 17.)

Cattle Smuggling Believed General

VANCOUVER (AP)—The suggestion cattle smuggling may be fairly general along the Canadian-United States border was made today by Howard McGowan, chief Washington State customs officer, at Seattle.

"All kinds of livestock may be crossing the border illegally at a variety of points," he said. "So far, our investigations have been concentrated on one or two centres."

Fisherman Believed Lost During Storm

VANCOUVER (CP)—A storm, which was thought to have swept the Pacific coast Tuesday night without much damage, reaped a toll of wrecked and missing fishing vessels, it was learned today.

Missing and feared lost is Stanley C. Bell, 38-year-old Vancouver fisherman. His water-filled fishboat has been found drifting off nearby Bowen Island.

John Dick, another Vancouver fisherman, was plucked from death late Wednesday in the Gulf of Georgia. Without food, Dick battled day and night for 24 hours to stem water which

Sentiment Grows As Convention Formally Begins

By FRANK SWANSON

Victoria Times Special Convention Correspondent

OTTAWA—St. Laurent supporters today claimed their candidate for the Liberal leadership now is sure of enough votes to guarantee his selection by the second ballot at the latest.

Sentiment favoring the Secretary of State for External Affairs appeared to be growing substantially as the last of 1,200-odd delegates arrived for the start of the historic gathering here to choose a successor to Prime Minister King.

Macdonald Tells Caucus He Won't Be Candidate

(See Story, Page 3)

OTTAWA (CP)—Premier Macdonald of Nova Scotia told his province's caucus at the Liberal convention this afternoon that he did not intend to be a candidate for the federal leadership.

However, Nova Scotia delegates immediately began urging him to change his mind and offer for the succession to Prime Minister King.

These urgings were still going on as the caucus continued a short time before the general assembly of the convention was to convene for its late afternoon sitting.

If Mr. Macdonald sticks by his decision, it will mean the race has been narrowed down to External Affairs Minister St. Laurent, Agriculture Minister Gardiner and Hon. C. G. Power, former air minister.

MARTIN OUT

Health Minister Martin, who had been considered a possible serious contender, took himself out of the list of probable candidates earlier with an announcement that he will support the friendly, 66-year-old external affairs minister.

However, the western Ontario group said they still intended to go forward with a "Draft Martin" plan.

The convention swung open today with a blare of music, thunderous applause and a formal welcome to the more than 3,000 delegates and other party members from Prime Minister King.

Mr. King formally opened the proceedings with a brief address in which he told the delegates the primary purpose of the convention was to help promote "conditions in which the family will be secure and in which young people can establish homes of their own without fear of the future."

He made no reference to the convention's main purpose—the selection of his successor as party leader.

However, the leadership issue formed the main topic of gossip in the rooms and corridors of the big, squat coliseum, site of the convention in Ottawa's Lansdowne Park, and delegates reported a swing of support to External Affairs Minister St. Laurent, the main leadership candidate.

When the opening hour was reached, Mr. King was piped into the convention hall by two highlanders playing "Bonnie Dundee." In single file behind him came the cabinet, provincial leaders and others who occupy the main platform.

The 1,300 delegates and alternates, seated in neat rows on the convention floor, rose and cheered. Mr. King, smiling broadly but visibly moved, mounted the platform and stepped up to the rostrum. As a backdrop, two huge photographs of the Prime Minister and his predecessor, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, stood at the back of the platform.

Mr. King nominated J. Gordon Fogo, K.C., Liberal Federation President, and J. A. Blanchette, K.C., vice-president and Liberal Member of Parliament for Compton, Que., as joint chairmen, and the convention then turned to appointment of officers and committees.

Another candidate, Health Minister Paul Martin threw his support behind the St. Laurent faction when he counted himself out of the running in a statement during the morning. This was seen as being a tremendous advantage to Mr. St. Laurent and supporters claimed it might even mean the selection of their candidate on the first ballot, but certainly on the second.

GARSON TO NOMINATE

Preparations for the nomination of Mr. St. Laurent by Manitoba Premier Stuart Garson were going forward behind-the-scenes as another move in the direction of his eventual success. The fact that the Garson name will be lent to his nomination was seen as substantially strengthening his chances again since Mr. Garson has been prominently mentioned as a candidate as well.

Mr. St. Laurent's appearance on the platform today when he is expected to speak to a national unity resolution will constitute his formal bid for the leadership. He will not have another chance to speak before the voting for leader starts Saturday afternoon and the convention reaction today will indicate to a large degree what his chances really are.

Although the St. Laurent movement appeared to be growing in strength hourly, supporters of Agricultural Minister James Gardiner had not given up the ghost by any means. They were more active than ever during the forenoon ceremonies marking the opening of the big Liberal convocation in the Coliseum.

QUIETER CAMPAIGN

But while the Gardiner workers have been carrying on an aggressive hard-hitting campaign on behalf of their candidate, St. Laurent workers have been going about the same business in a quieter but entirely realistic fashion.

They reported this morning their candidate would get the necessary 650 votes required for selection "without much trouble." They were even hopeful that he would get their required total on the first ballot Saturday but this view would conflict with that of the Gardiner supporters who claimed their man was sure of "around 500" votes.

One factor which wasn't doing the St. Laurent movement any harm was the knowledge Prime Minister King himself entirely approved the selection of his external affairs secretary.

Mr. St. Laurent's appearance on the platform speaking to the national unity resolution was seen as symbolic of the desires of a large share of the delegates who want to ensure the new leader will stand for exactly the type of thing he will keynote in his address.

It is quite possible the names of St. Laurent, Gardiner, Power, Martin and possibly Garson will stand on the first ballot. If this happens, it will be the second ballot that counts since there will be a good deal of "favorite son" support for individual candidates.

Johnson To Discuss P.G.E. Extension

OTTAWA (CP)—Premier Johnson of British Columbia will meet in Montreal next Monday with President R. C. Vaughan of the Canadian National Railways and W. A. Mather of the Canadian Pacific Railway to discuss extension of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway into the Peace River bloc in B.C.

Premier Johnson will leave for Montreal after the close Saturday of the National Liberal Convention.

Negro Prisoners Hitched To Plow

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP)—Astonished prison investigators Wednesday learned convicts have been used instead of mules to plow farmland in Alabama.

The disclosure came from state prison director Frank Boswell, who insisted a small group of negro convicts at Kilby Prison hitched themselves to the plows voluntarily.

He explained it this way: The farm at Kilby has three small plots where the ground is so soft that mules can't work. Convicts working in the field pulled the plows themselves rather than work the land by hoe.

Teams of four, six or eight

negroes were used to drag the plows, he said.

Boswell testified before a legislative-public committee named recently to investigate prison conditions in Alabama and work out a reform program.

Suitcase Containing \$300,000 Lost In U.S.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo. (AP)—State highway patrol headquarters here Wednesday said they received a report that a suitcase containing \$300,000 in currency had been lost on U.S. Highway 36 between Springfield, Ill., and Hamilton, Mo.

Sgt. Jack Inman said he received a telephone call from Mrs. Mary Paylor of Revere, Mass. She said the wardrobe suitcase was lost from a westbound tourist's car, and that the money was in \$10 and \$20 bills, Inman stated.

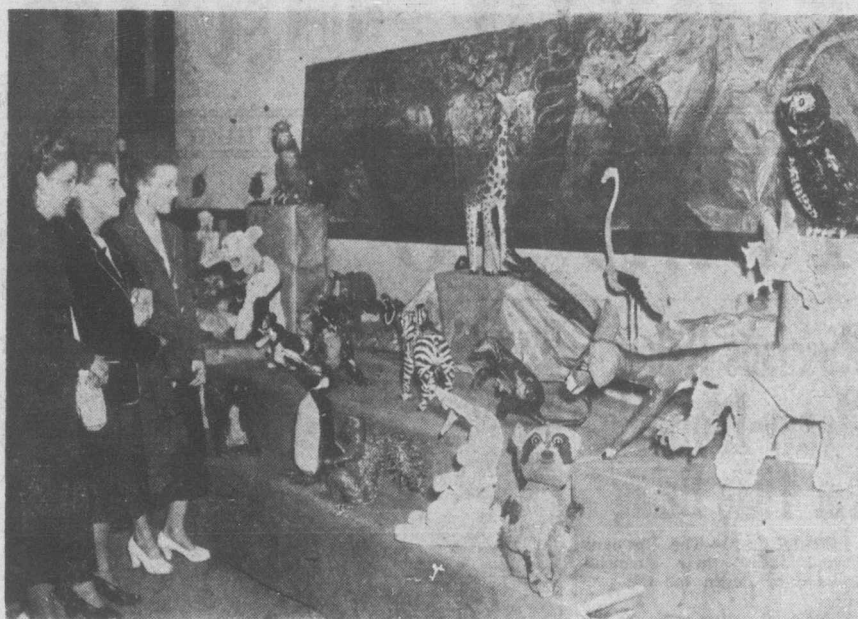
Colwood Softball Final Ends In Tie

District Merchants and Marigold played to an 11 to 11, 10-inning tie last night in the second game of the best-of-five series for the Colwood and District men's senior B softball championship in an error-ridden tilt.

District Merchants won the first game played at Sooke on Sunday.

Leading 9 to 4 going into the bottom of the ninth inning the Merchants' defence fell apart allowing Marigold to score five runs and tie the score at 9 to 9. Both teams scored two runs in the extra inning.

The third game of the series will take place at Langford Friday night at 6.30.



ANIMAL PARADE—Pink elephants, prehistoric monsters, mythical winged horses and other more common animals greet the eyes of visitors strolling along the hall of the second floor at Victoria High School this week, but there is no need to be nervous—they're all made of paste and paper. The display, shown above, is the work of students at the Summer School of Education's course in creative expression in elementary school art. Admiring the menagerie are, left to right, Margaret Ritch, Kelowna; Mavis Wardle, Kamloops, and Jo Keough, Revelstoke, all Summer School students.

Possible Suicide Linked To Probe

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—A strange and cryptic suicide note was found Wednesday on the fogbound walkway of Golden Gate Bridge—a note seemingly linking a woman's death leap to the Washington Communist "spy" quiz.

The note, unsigned, was addressed to "Dear E. T. B.," which highway patrol officers noted are the initials of Elizabeth T. Bentley, star witness in the Congressional Communist inquiry.

The note was found with scattered outer clothing bearing labels of expensive San Francisco area women's shop, and newspaper clippings of Miss Bentley's testimony and concerning Alger Hiss, former State Department official.

But so far the swift-running waters of the Golden Gate had yielded no body—not unusual due to the vagaries of the tides.

Starvation Tests End In Hunger

LONDON (CP)—The group of "starvation guinea pigs" ending a five-day ordeal of tablet-or-nothing diet had one thought Wednesday night—food.

Ninety-six medical students underwent the tests at Stockbridge, Hampshire, to aid research scientists. Twenty originally volunteered for complete starvation, but six dropped out before the end of the third day. From then to the end of the tests Wednesday, the remaining 14 joined the other 76 in taking six tablets daily of etagone emergency ration.

As the tests were declared over, all dashed for the nearest buffet and ate all the food they could get.

The test students all showed weight losses, but authorities said vision, mental acuity and physical condition were excellent.

T. R. Beatson said: "The tablets kept us going. They quench thirst immediately and with them we never felt hungry. Even the completely starved boys never felt hungry."

Fire Destroys 11 Houses On Highway

EDMONTON (CP)—Isolated Blueberry at Mile 101 of the Alaska Highway is a pile of ashes after a wind-swept forest fire destroyed the 11 houses in the hamlet Wednesday. Only a nearly-abandoned army maintenance depot nearby and a repeater station of the northern communication system are reported standing.

It is not known what the 11

families forced from their homes are doing for accommodation but the depot barracks may provide shelter.

The fire which wiped out the community started eight miles west of Mile 97, spread and gradually moved over surrounding territory. Men and bulldozers battled the flames but when these spread to muskeg the fight became hopeless. Only rain could have stopped the, smouldering muskeg. A backfire at Mile 91 also was unsuccessful.

Australia Surprised C.P.A. To Fly Pacific

CANBERRA (CP)—Arthur Drakeford, Civil Aviation Minister, said Wednesday the Australian government is surprised at the announcement the Canadian government designated the privately-owned Canadian Pacific Airways to operate an air service from Canada to Australia.

Drakeford said the Australian government has not yet received an application for the service from any Canadian sources.

He added it has always been understood that at some time Canada would initiate the service on a commonwealth pattern but the announcement that C.P.A. would—if an agreement were negotiated—operate without a subsidy in any form was surprising.

Pacific operation could not be carried on without a substantial subsidy, he said.

Strike Postponed

SALT LAKE CITY (AP)—The International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers announced Wednesday night that its proposed strike against the Kennecott Copper Corporation has been postponed for 48 hours.

Railways' Earnings, Expenses Increase

OTTAWA (CP)—Reflecting the 21-per cent freight-rate increase, the earnings of Canadian railroads reached record heights in May. But so did operating expenses, the Bureau of Statistics said today.

May earnings totaled \$71,000,800, compared with \$66,864,000 in May 1947. Freight revenues were up 7.8 per cent—from \$52,831,000 to \$56,967,000—despite a 5.9 per cent reduction in tons carried and a 14.7 per cent drop in revenue-ton-miles.

This was the other side of the picture:

Operating expenses increased from \$58,576,000 in May, 1947, to \$63,031,000. Net operating revenues were reduced from \$8,288,000 to \$7,970,000 and operating income from \$4,752,000 to \$4,337,000.

Bennett Defeated In Regina Tennis

REGINA (CP)—Lawns of the Regina Tennis Club were littered with fallen champions Wednesday night as play in the western Canada tennis tournament ended its third day.

Defeated were Bill Ebbells of Regina, city and provincial champion; Hank Bennett of Winnipeg, hard-hitting Manitoba king, and Mrs. Irene Pinkerton, also of Winnipeg, who holds the Saskatchewan women's singles crown.

Three-set matches spelled defeat for the champions in the singles competition.

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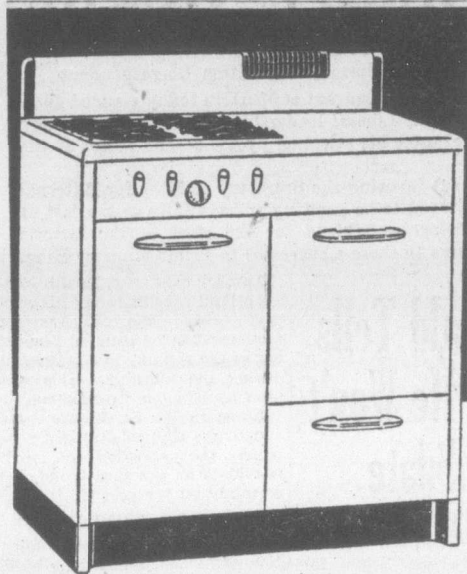
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Ranking Officers To Discuss Revolt

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Health Minister Reaffirms Stand For St. Laurent

OTTAWA (CP) — Health Minister Martin today reaffirmed his support for External Affairs Minister St. Laurent as a candidate for leadership of the Liberal party.

In a brief statement, Mr. Martin said he had been urged publicly and privately "by many individuals throughout the country" to enter the contest for leadership.

"Although I have already stated my position it now seems necessary that it should be further clarified," he said. He expressed "deep conviction that with his Liberal ideals as I know them, Mr. St. Laurent will at this time and in the present circumstances bring to the leadership of the Liberal Party and to the office of Prime Minister, qualities of statesmanship which will serve Canada best in these difficult days."

DRAFT MARTIN DRIVE

Later a determined group of western Ontario Liberals said their "Draft Martin" campaign will continue, despite the health minister's pledge to support Mr. St. Laurent in the election of a Liberal Party leader.

Russell A. Farrow of Walkerville, leader of the drive to have Mr. Martin succeed Prime Minister King, said the group is convinced the 45-year-old health minister is the man the party needs. Mr. Farrow, honorary president of the Western Ontario Liberal Association, underscored the "Draft Martin" plan in a formal statement, issued shortly after a caucus of the 120 western Ontario delegates.

"Mr. Martin states unequivocally that he proposed to keep this promise. But, notwithstanding this, the delegates from western Ontario and other parts of the country are determined to

Convention Highlights

OTTAWA (CP) — External Affairs Minister St. Laurent was one of the first delegates to take his seat this morning at the National Liberal convention. He slipped into the Coliseum quietly and was soon surrounded by a small group of well-wishers.

Premier Walter Jones of Prince Edward Island had a brief tussle with the doormen, stopping anybody who didn't have a pass or other credentials. But he finally got through.

Delegates found themselves staring in every direction at the party slogan, "Liberty, Security, Freedom."

A whole back section of the convention hall, separated from the floor by thick walls, was swarming with desks and typewriters for the possibly 150 to 200 reporters who will be covering the event.

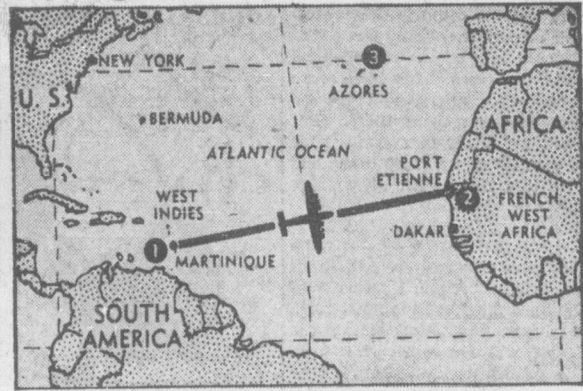
Resources Minister MacKinnon, just back from a trip to the west, joined Alberta delegates in their provincial caucus room early. His riding is Edmonton West.

St. Laurent supporters were cocky and confident, David Croll, Lib. Toronto-Spadina, said a definite trend in his favor had been established. Defence Minister Claxton said the weight was two or three to one in Mr. St. Laurent's favor.

The bee-busy British Columbia delegation was in caucus virtually right up to convention opening. Other caucus rooms were busy handing out credentials. All delegates received a formal, red-sealed certificate of attendance.

double their efforts in the 'Draft Martin' campaign."

Paris Denies Report Big Flying Boat Located, Safe



This map shows the route of the six-engine Air France flying boat on its fateful journey across the southern Atlantic.

PARIS (CP) — An Air France official tonight categorically denied reports that the French flying boat missing since Sunday with 52 persons aboard had been found in the south Atlantic.

"The search centre at Dakar has informed us that they never received a message giving news of its discovery," he said. During the day, reports spread through Paris that the plane had been found.

The semi-official Agence France-Presse quoted Air France officers in Marueilles as saying

the plane has been found, with all the 40 passengers and 12 crew members aboard safe. The plane was reported down 120 miles from where it last had been heard from four days ago. Later the agency said the report "lacked precision."

Earlier Air France said new messages, believed to be from the plane, had been picked up today in the Canary Islands.

Twenty planes of French, U.S. and Portuguese civil and military air fleets have been scouring the south Atlantic for the missing plane.

Charged With Smuggling Huge Jewel Into U.S.

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — A blonde, 35-year-old Philadelphia woman and her ex-husband were held on bail today on charges of smuggling a \$75,000 74-carat emerald into the United States from Sweden in 1946. Mrs.

Louise Branigan denied at a hearing having any knowledge of the precious gem. Whereabouts of the jewel remain a mystery, with federal customs agents acknowledging that they had been unable to locate it.

28 Ounces At Birth, Baby Now Thriving

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) — A baby girl weighing one pound, 12 ounces at birth, smallest surviving premature infant in the history of South Bend's Memorial Hospital, is alive and thriving at the age of 22 days. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Casimir Dzikowski. She now weighs just over two pounds.

Hastings Park Overnight Entries

VANCOUVER (CP) — Exhibition Park entries, Friday, Aug. 6:
First race—Claiming, \$500, for four-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
6573 Western Bomber (Nowell) 115
6596 Pallas (Robertson) 120
6595 Heart Attack (Bailey) 110
6516 Sharabi (Gomes) 115
6585 Oallant Chief (Sundquist) 110
6593 Tucker (Smith) 110
6563 Hawaii (Noffsinger) 120
6485 Sea Ace (no boy) 120
6590 Paris Doll (Coppennoll) 105
6591 Miss Nimba (Johnson) 110
Also eligible:
6580 Gearjammer (Williams) 115
6486 Galtuck (Higbee) 110
6520 Count Ace (Johnson) 120
6614 Salspott (no boy) 110

Second race—Claiming, \$500, for three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
6599 Firm Gold (Bailey) 111
6595 Gaimar Devil (Smith) 112
6590 Shrike (no boy) 110
6562 Dry Marsh (Noffsinger) 112
6526 Cotton Eye (Moncrief) 109
6590 Star Dealer (no boy) 115
6590 Worth Silver (Coppennoll) 117
6590 My Cord (Robertson) 112
6586 Beach Drive (Sundquist) 107
6585 Upo (Beasley) 116

Third race—Claiming, \$500, for three-year-olds and up, one mile and 70 yards:
6520 Brilliant Help (Gomes) 115
6572 Setforth (no boy) 115
6590 Boston Eve (Moncrief) 110
6568 Marthas Lad (no boy) 113
6591 Jet Cord (Robertson) 115
6595 Franklin D (Gomes) 112
6597 Permagant (Noffsinger) 112
6558 Rusty Beau (Millman) 105
6591 Don O' War (Noffsinger) 117

Fourth race—Claiming, \$500, for four-year-olds and up, one mile and 70 yards:
6588 Ashes Only (Moncrief) 110
6569 Sarworth (Johnson) 112
6596 Marthas Lad (no boy) 113
6591 Jet Cord (Robertson) 115
6595 Franklin D (Gomes) 112
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6558 Rusty Beau (Millman) 105
6591 Don O' War (Noffsinger) 117

Sixth race—Claiming, \$500, for three-year-olds and up, one mile and 70 yards:
6578 Lilloot Boy (Bailey) 115
6590 Interned (no boy) 110
6510 Lord Pebble (Stecum) 110
6492 Toppel (Robertson) 115
6562 Little Gloomy (Nowell) 115
6547 No Count (Smith) 105

Seventh race—"Little Saratoga Special," \$1,000, for two-year-olds, five and one-half furlongs:
6580 Tranby Croft (Gomes) 112
6588 Mud Puddle (no boy) 114
6579 Penmark (Swigart) 112
6598 Casino's Pride (Bailey) 112
6598 Markedown (Robertson) 112
6513 Fair Author (Johnson) 118
6579 And So On (Williams) 112
Appley-Mercer-Brown entry.

Eighth race—Claiming, \$500, for three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
6589 Jazz Lady (Johnson) 110
6589 Nes Beau (no boy) 110
6537 Plucky Jake (Robertson) 113
6588 Sparking Blue (Martin) 109
6585 New Joe (Smith) 109
6519 Bruke (Athey) 111
6573 Paduan (Gomes) 111
6568 Miss Exilda (Gomes) 110
6590 Anthurium (no boy) 105
6590 Royal Squeez (Johnson) 111
Also eligible:
6598 Light Port (Coppennoll) 110
Weather cloudy, track fast.
First post 2:30 p.m.
Apprentice allowance claimed.

An executive meeting of the Pacific Northwest Trade Association has been called for Monday morning in Seattle. J. V. Johnson and G. I. Warren of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, will attend as representatives of this city.

Anti-Filibuster Law Planned As Southern Senators Win Out

WASHINGTON (CP) — Filing southern Senators have won their battle to defeat the will of the majority—and it may be the last filibuster on Capitol Hill.

After nearly a week of constant southern oratory designed to prevent the Senate taking up the anti-poll tax bill—a section of the civil rights program—Republican policy committee members yielded Wednesday.

They hope to go on with some small measures of anti-inflation legislation and adjourn early next week. They will leave untouched the great bulk of the business for which President Truman called them back from their planned six-month holiday.

The Republican policy committee yielded because it was obvious the score of southern-state Senators were prepared to talk till Christmas if necessary to prevent any progress on the civil rights measures.

Now they can say that in spite of their efforts and readiness to proceed, they were balked by the southerners, all of them Democrats and of the same party as the White House administration.

At the same time the Republican leadership announced the first business when Congress resumes next year will be a bill to end all filibusters.

However, there is nothing apparent at the moment to prevent the filibusters from filibustering the proposed bill to end filibusters.

The present filibuster arose

Weather

Weather synopsis and official forecast issued at 9 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 5, by the Dominion public weather office at Vancouver, valid until midnight Friday, Aug. 6:

Considerable rain fell throughout the province in the past 24 hours with both Kamloops and Prince George reporting amounts in excess of one inch. These amounts are unusually heavy for this time of year.

The weather system causing these conditions is moving slowly eastward. However the air over the province continues cool and moist so that only a slow gradual improvement is expected in conditions through tomorrow.

Vancouver and vicinity, Lower Fraser Valley, Georgia Strait—Overcast with scattered showers this morning, becoming cloudy late afternoon. Variable cloudiness Friday morning, clearing in afternoon. Wind light. Little change in temperature. Low tonight and high Friday Vancouver airport 54 and 70, Abbotsford 52 and 75, Nanaimo 55 and 75.

Victoria and vicinity—Overcast this morning, clearing in afternoon. Friday cloudy in morning, clearing about noon. Wind southwest 20 today, light tonight and Friday. Little change in temperature. Low tonight and high Friday Estevan 48 and 62.

West coast Vancouver Island—Cloudy today and Friday. Wind light. Little change in temperature. Low tonight and high Friday Victoria 51 and 68.

Montreal 56 80 Precip. Clear
Toronto 49 76 Clear
North Bay 41 68
Port Arthur 42 73
Kenora 52 73
Winnipeg 51 76
Brandon 58 76
The Pas 56 76
Regina 56 76 Clear
Saskatoon 57 79
Prince Albert 52 80
North Battleford 59 81 .03
Swift Current 52 77 .17
Medicine Hat 60 88 .04
Lethbridge 52 78 .15
Calgary 47 78
Edmonton 61 82 Clear
Kamloops 55 78
Penticton 55 63 .75
Vancouver 54 68 .06
Victoria 51 66
Cranbrook 44 66 .12
Crescent Valley 38 72 .46
Prince Rupert 35 60
Squamish 51 68 1.97
Seattle 52 68
Portland 52 68
Chicago 55 71 .58
San Francisco 51 69
Los Angeles 55 89
New York 49 77
Spokane 45 77
Whitehorse 46 73

Pilots Faced Grave Situation



Chills must have run up and down the spines of two Galveston, Texas, pilots when they climbed, unhurt, out of this wrecked plane and saw where they were. They had crashed amid the tombstones of a San Antonio, Texas, cemetery.

Plan To Step Up War On Sexy Literature

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP) — The Canadian Pharmaceutical Association's 15-year war on "sexy" literature, whether in comic books, magazines or books, will be intensified this year, the executive of the association announced.

The 40th annual convention of the C.P.A. is being held in conjunction with meetings of Canadian college pharmacy heads. R. E. Forbes, of Wadena, Sask., said the C.P.A. would ask all members in the Dominion to take a stand against selling publications stressing sex.

"Our biggest consumer of this sort of thing is the teenage adolescent," Mr. Forbes said. "If we refuse to handle it, much of the distribution will be cut down and those who publish it will be discouraged."

Lake Ship Sinking

CHICAGO (AP) — The ship Rambler of St. Ignace, Mich., was sinking off Beaver Island in Lake Michigan today after five men had been removed safely, the United States Coast Guard reported. The five men were removed by the crew of the B.F. Affleck, but no attempt was made to take the Rambler in tow.

LONDON, Ont. (CP) — This western Ontario city of 88,000 is going to get dial telephones. F. W. MacBeth, Bell Telephone manager, said today the changeover will be completed by 1951. At present all calls must be placed through the operator.

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SOVEREIGNTY BOBS UP AGAIN

EVER SINCE THE UNITED STATES began to realize that her security depended upon her association with the rest of the nations of the world, the question of sovereignty has worried those members of Congress who never seem quite sure about the stand their country should take in the general international arena. This question of sovereignty is now one demanding worldwide attention, not only because the implications inherent in the term are all-embracing, but also because our neighbor's participation in the First Great War and in the global conflict which ended three years ago has created a condition which refutes all the old-fashioned ideas of any nation's ability to live unto itself alone.

To some of the younger generation of students of the international political scene it may appear strange that Italy, through the instrumentality of her Foreign Minister, Count Carlo Sforza, should suddenly be agreeable to the surrender of her own national sovereignty for the purpose of facilitating European union. Nor is it necessary to emphasize the fact that it is a simple matter for the virtually non-possessed to give away that which they assume to possess but which they possess only on sufferance. Yet Count Sforza's point is well taken. This 74-year-old Italian patriot still belongs to the school of Italian Liberalism reflected in both word and action by the former Senator Albertini who had the courage of his convictions when in the Upper Chamber in Rome he roundly denounced the late and unlamented Benito Mussolini for daring to say in the national forum that only the "language of the revolver" could be used in reply to those who disagreed with his Fascist philosophy. Albertini, of course, was the editor of the *Corriere della Sera*, the great Milanese daily, tripartite ally of the democratic procedure in human affairs.

It may be that at times, and particularly when political fortunes are at stake, sovereignty and all that the term implies is apt to take on more than ordinary significance. But our neighbors on the south side of the 49th parallel probably will recall that in the early spring of 1944—only four years after he had been defeated in the presidential elections by President Franklin Delano Roosevelt—Mr. Wendell L. Willkie wrote a lengthy article for *Foreign Affairs* in which he expounded the theory that sovereignty was not "something simply to be conserved, like the talent which was laid away in the earth in the biblical parable," but something that "our government and people" should use "as the sovereign power of the United States in partnership with the sovereign power of other peace-loving nations to create and operate an international organization which will give better protection to the rights of all nations, on a wider political, economic and social basis, than has ever yet been attempted in history."

The new discussion of sovereignty, therefore, boils down to the simple postulate: If there is to be a comprehensive surrender of sovereignty, if there is to be any hope of the "One World" which Mr. Willkie envisioned, if there is to be a world-wide organization with sufficient influence and force to outlaw war as an instrument of international policy, that measure of surrender of sovereignty which the late Mr. Willkie favored, and which Count Sforza has recommended, must be translated from the purely rhetorical to the practical.

WHERE MINORITY WINS

WITHOUT REGARD TO THE FORTUNES of the different parties which have solicited or are soliciting support in elections throughout the Dominion, the number of political denominations into which they are divided should convince Canadians of one definite point. The present voting system for federal elections, at least, and for many provinces no longer assures majority rule.

In earlier times, when the choice was virtually restricted to Liberal or Conservative candidates, the total ballots of the winning aspirant were sufficient to place the majority's choice in office. Now, in the Dominion field and in some provinces, it is just as probable that the successful candidate will be the one with the largest minority. This, in itself, is an unsatisfactory situation. In British Columbia it has been modified to a degree by the practice of the old line parties implementing the purposes of coalition by declining to run opposing candidates. Should that understanding be abandoned, however, the electoral system would again present the specific detriments to the two main parties which have been apparent in the past here and elsewhere.

The transfer of emphasis from the division which once existed between Liberals and Conservatives to the sharp distinction now between those parties which support private enterprise and those which adhere to "planned economy" lends added point to the need for electoral reform. Just as it has been evident that dissolution of coalition in British Columbia would give the C.C.F. every hope of attaining power, so the split

vote in the national field operates to the benefit of "the planners."

The single alternative vote, by which the voter may mark first, second and other choices, depending on the number of candidates, would overcome this difficulty to a substantial degree. A supporter of free enterprise, for instance, who, under the present system, marks his ballot for a Conservative in a three-way contest with a Liberal and a C.C.F.er and then finds his choice running third, might feel annoyed if his second preference had been Liberal, but a Socialist had succeeded in acquiring the largest total. The single alternative vote would have permitted him to exercise a preference for the Liberal against the C.C.F.

Unless the Labor Progressives become an infinitely more important factor in national voting, the risks of the present system are heavily weighted against the old line parties. They appeal to the voting body which stands firmly for free enterprise. Policies create certain differences in platform. A ballot cast for the runner-up, under the existing regulations, is lost where, by the single alternative vote, it could give strength to the candidate next closest to the voter in political thought. As conditions are today, the remedy seems obvious—not merely because of the definite party alignment that exists in Canada, but because the present system does not meet current requirements. Rule by a minority is not democratic.

IT IS OUR LAND

IT IS TO BE HOPED THAT THE Liberals of Canada assembled in Ottawa today will take into consideration the desirability of launching a practical immigration policy. The suggestion in this form is obviously commonplace. But the argument that this vast Dominion, with its virtually unlimited natural resources, should be a magnet for millions of people of other lands cannot be over-emphasized.

Time was, of course, when certain organized labor bodies contended that not a single person should be admitted to Canada so long as a single Canadian was not gainfully employed. It seemed to matter little in those days to some of the elements of our population when it was argued that every increase in the Dominion's population meant a greater demand for labor.

At long last, however, it seems to have dawned upon those suffering from a species of immigration myopia that unless the vast expanse of territory which is the Dominion of Canada is developed, as it can and should be developed, by people with a sound and sane mental outlook, there may come a day when others, greedy for the power which the acquisition of a wealthy land stimulates, may try to experiment with a type of aggressive imperialism which Canadians in the mass hope and believe is dead.

But we must beware that we are not leading ourselves up the garden path. Canada's best protection against exploitation inimical to the best interests of the nation is the practical demonstration of her own vision and initiative—particularly in respect of inducements to new and prospective citizens.

WANTED—A DISAGREEABLE MAN

NOW THAT GEORGE BERNARD SHAW, paddling along nicely through the nineties, appears to have succeeded in frightening away a generation of newspapermen who might draw from his observations pithy comment on the condition of men in 1948, the field is wide open for a disagreeable and well-informed individual to go about pricking bubbles and cutting away some of the ivy that is spreading over humanity. Not that there are insufficient disagreeable individuals. They pop up and "pop off" at every turn. But those who qualify in that category so seldom wed to their orneriness the more important qualification of being well-informed.

What we on this continent in particular require is someone with the deft touch to release the springs of laughter at ourselves. Inevitably, as the result of our comfortable condition of living, we have developed a certain smugness, a sense of self-satisfaction, an aura of beneficence—so long as it does not hurt—and a lazy satisfaction which fails to spur us to greater endeavor. We are falling into types—and feeling a little too appreciative of the type with which we identify ourselves. We are developing a mental and spiritual fatness which breeds inertia.

This probably may be the recuperative aftermath of the war—a period in which we survey our bounties, realize our wealth, tangible and intangible, and just settle back cosily to enjoy it. Not that we, as Canadians, are failing to make a contribution to the well-being of others. Nationally and individually, we are trying to help those less abundantly endowed in physical things, in creature comforts. And not that we, as Canadians, were deficient in carrying our share of the load during wartime. But, if we are to assume the position which our material strength and the force of circumstances have given us, we might benefit from some pricking of the balloon of self-righteousness.

After all, though we are among the most fortunate in the world, we are not necessarily the chosen people. The goal of criticism from a disagreeable but well-informed man might help to spur us to the wider development of a vast country too sparsely populated and too little used to justify completely our possession of it.

We have decided to be stylish. Our lawn grass has that new, long look, and who are we to shorten it?

Walter Lippmann

THE BARGAINING POSITION

IN A LEADING ARTICLE entitled "The Bitter Choice," the *London Economist* says that "the western countries have blundered into this crisis and are only just beginning to realize the intensity of the dilemma with which they are faced. They have every right to be furiously angry with the so-called leaders who put them there. But anger will not get them out. Only hard thought and high courage will do that. And it is fortunate that the air lift gives them time to think."

A DILEMMA is a necessary choice between two undesirable alternatives. One horn of the dilemma is to present Moscow with an ultimatum that the Russians must raise the Berlin blockade. An ultimatum, as the *Economist* says, will not work if it is a bluff, that is unless the Allies show that they "intend war seriously" by a mobilization in western Europe and the United States, the concentration of aircraft and armor in western Germany, preparations for civil defence and at least the first steps toward a war economy. The other horn of the dilemma is to negotiate—if not exactly under duress, then at any rate—under unfavorable conditions for bargaining. For even if the blockade is raised to permit negotiations, the fact that it can be re-imposed gives the Russians a powerful instrument for bargaining.

WE SHALL, IT SEEMS TO ME, be misunderstanding the situation if we think that the issue is whether or not the western powers shall stay in Berlin. The issue is how far the Russians can exploit for their larger diplomatic objectives in Germany and in Europe the precarious position of the Allies in Berlin. They have not asked the western democracies to withdraw. They have not presented them with any such clear-cut choice nor allowed themselves to get into the quandary where they must make the fateful decision to start a war or stand before the world, having made a demand which has been rejected. They know that the West cannot withdraw and that it must refuse to withdraw, and that, therefore if they make the demand, they will have to start a war to enforce it.

IT IS NOT AT ALL CERTAIN that they now want Britain, the United States and France to withdraw. For as they are playing their cards, the fact that the West has to stay in Berlin but is in grave difficulties in Berlin enables them to negotiate with the Allies while the latter are in a necessitous bargaining position.

The difference between the first notes protesting the blockade and the representations which are now being made to Stalin in Moscow registers the hard reality of the bargaining position.

THERE IS LITTLE DOUBT, I think, that a controlling consideration, in the last analysis the paramount consideration on both sides in this conflict, is the realization that the nation which starts a war is likely to lose it. No one can say for sure whether the great conflict can be settled without a war, or how far the conviction exists that war is unavoidable. But what can be said, I think, is that one lesson has at least been learned from the last war: It is that to strike the first blow is the supreme military mistake that no military advantage that can be gained by it at the outset can make up for the consequences that the aggressor must suffer in the long run.

FOR IN THE LONG RUN more nations and more people within each nation will rally to a war of defence and resistance than to a war of conquest and adventure. They will fight longer at home than abroad. They will bear the sacrifices more readily for their own homes, their own cities and villages, than for any foreign interest. The outlawry of aggressive war which is written into the United Nations Charter, which was sanctioned by the Nuremberg judgments, rests also on the military realities which statesmen and soldiers will, henceforth, ignore only at the risk of military disaster. Therefore, even though they think war inevitable, or desirable, they will not, if they know what they are doing, allow themselves to get into the position where they must give the order that precipitates the fighting.

THIS CONSIDERATION, which moral commitments and military wisdom unite in supporting, plays a decisive part in the present conflict. It restrains both sides from making a demand that is an ultimatum which has to be enforced—restrains the western democracies from threatening to go to war to raise the blockade, restrains the Russians from demanding that the western powers leave Berlin or accept the conditions they choose to enforce for a German settlement. For the side which delivered the ultimatum would have to start the shooting.

As long as the statesmen do not cross the line to an ultimatum, as long as they keep their soldiers from precipitating an irreparable incident, the issues of the conflict remain negotiable.

The problem of the democracies is, however, not only to keep them negotiable. It is to retrieve the diplomatic blunder which has made their bargaining position so unfavorable—a delicate and difficult task.

The latest moves by the Russians indicate that they are trying to put on the final pressure to drive us out of Berlin. This could not be accomplished by any action short of war.—Gen. Lucius D. Clay, American military governor in Germany.

Cleaning Up For The Big November Shindig



Wallace Convention—Darndest Thing Ever

By PETER EDSON from Washington

ANYONE required to sum up, in one sentence, the Henry Wallace Progressive Party convention could only throw up his hands in despair and say it was the darndest thing that ever happened. There hasn't been anything like it in American politics since 1936 when the Townsends and Coughlins met in Cleveland to express their forlorn hopes.

The Wallace convention beat all that, with camp-meeting revival singing by Brooklyn hillbillies; with Wallace's fantastic press conference in which the working reporters kept their mouths shut and the bleeding heart crusaders took over and beat their breasts all over the place; with the barber-shop wailing of vice-presidential candidate Glen Taylor and family; with finally the miracle of selling \$25,000 worth of tickets for admission to Wallace's Saturday night acceptance speech, then passing the hat to collect \$50,000 more.

CHARACTERISTIC Perhaps the most characteristic performance of the whole convention was a five-minute speech by one Frank Danowski, president of the Plymouth local of the United Auto Workers, C.I.O. and secretary of the Polish-Americans for Wallace. Danowski called America a combination of cultures blended in one large home. "There are stresses and strains in the home," he said, "and the Hunkies, the Spicks, the Guineas, and the Ginks are looked down on by the rest of the family."

But, said Danowski, he was proud to be one of the men with unpronounceable names who had built America's railroads, run its mills and its mines, been its heroes on Notre Dame football teams. Danowski might also have mentioned other minority groups with unpleasant nicknames. They were all represented at Philadelphia. Polite newspapers used to avoid mentioning them by name, for fear of offending them, but now, in Henry Wallace's party, they have taken on political consciousness and they dare stand up and express themselves. Here were some of the words: "I have seen hospital doors closed against my dying son," said Shirley Graham, Negro writer and mother. "Wallace is the only one of the three candidates who was ever a successful businessman," said Miles Pennybacker, Norwalk, Conn., secretary of the New Council for American Business. "I am a mother, a housewife, and a very angry woman," said Mrs. Katharine Van Oyen of New Jersey, complaining of high prices. "We are tired of Klansmen who ride in the night. As for protecting southern womanhood, we will protect ourselves," said Polly Dobbs, white and from Alabama. These are the things that the leaders of the two old parties should hear and do something about. As for what the leaders of the new party are going to do about them, there is some room for doubt. They bragged that their new party convention had no smoke-filled rooms, no ward-heeler politicians on the floors, no deals. All such talk is the same old political baloney. There never

was a political convention in which the program was so stage-managed, the candidates so hand-picked, the platform so dictated by special interests.

In summary, the poor, underprivileged Americans who usually take something of a beating in climbing up the ladder, may have been sold a bill of goods by the left-wing elements of the new party and it may be that they are merely being used to promote what the American Communists are most interested in—the Russian foreign policy line.

EXTREME LEFT WON

Proof of this shows up in the Progressive Party platform. The first section of this platform deals with "peace." It calls for an end to American preparedness, abolition of the Marshall Plan, a complete surrender to the foreign policy objectives of Soviet Russia. The few old-time liberals like Rex Tugwell, Scott Buchanan of St. John's, Frederick L. Schuman of Williams and others who tried to write a more balanced foreign policy plank were beaten down in the platform committee of 74 by superior numbers of extreme left-wingers.

As for the domestic policy planks dealing with "freedom" and "abundance," they merely promise everything to everybody and never mind the cost. It is just another political document not worth the paper it is written on. It is a delusion and a snare in which the poor misguided followers of Henry Wallace are being taken for a ride by promises which can never be fulfilled this side of Paradise.

No Grounds For Optimism

By BURTON S. HEATH From New York

MARSHAL TITO's speech to the Yugoslavian Communist Party congress was remarkable both for its eight-hour length and for its oblique defiance of the Kremlin. It came on the heels of two other incidents that were interesting, if not remarkable.

One was Yugoslavia's settlement of her debt account with the United States, as a result of which her gold and other frozen assets are being freed. The other was the presence of a Yugoslav representative among those who welcomed and congratulated the American jet plane squadron on its trans-Atlantic flight to England. He was the only man present from behind the iron curtain.

COULD BE FOOLED We are so worried about the world situation—so eager to find even a faint ray of sunlight piercing the clouds of threatening war—that we could easily fool ourselves about the significance of these events. The length of Tito's speech, of course, is neither good nor bad, except for the poor Yugoslavs who had to cheer and clap and whip up their enthusiasm for eight solid hours.

We must not let the other items deceive us into imagining that Tito is aligning himself with the west against Moscow in the current controversy—or that he would, if he could, lead Yugoslavia out of the Soviet camp.

It is well to remember that Tito is a Red Bolshevik. He isn't just an opportunist who has strung along with the apparent victors. Long before Russia looked like one of the world's two great powers, Tito was in Russia learning to be a revolutionary missionary.

Moscow put him into Yugoslavia during the Nazi occupation. Russia gave him the nucleus of a guerilla army in her Communist partisans. Russia supplied him with arms. Russia built up a situation in which the Americans and British, to their shame, dropped the faithful Mikhailovich and King Peter, and strung along with Russia's stooge Tito.

By choice as well as by circumstance, Tito is committed to totalitarianism as against democracy, to Marxism as against capitalism, to Moscow as against the west.

Glory Short

Exchange

Held in contempt by people of other countries, and apparently by many of those of her own, Frau Goering is an ailing, miserable woman—evidence of how fleeting is glory unless firmly based. She can return to the obscurity that was hers before she went on the stage and fell in with the fat fellow who ended his evil life in ignominy.

Global Survey

By DeWITT MACKENZIE

Associated P. ss News Analysis FOR CLOSE TO 150 year idealistic statesmen have dreamed of and labored for United States of Europe, but ironically enough it has taken the frightful menace of Communism to start this vision of its way to partial materialization.

Western Europe has started swinging towards a confederation of democracies which are making concessions in sovereignty for the common welfare.

We were, given two further notable indications of this trend yesterday. Italy's outspoken foreign minister, Count Carlo Sforza, stated that in order to effect a European union his country is ready to take the lead in accepting "curtailment of its political sovereignty, even in the most unexpected aspects." About the same time Foreign Minister Paul Reynaud of France said he hoped Britain would come out in full support of a United States of Europe next autumn, after the dominions conference in London.

PROGRESS

Of course these pronouncements aren't the first positive developments along this line. There was the sensational formation of the five-power western European union some five months ago, when Britain, France, Belgium, Holland and Luxembourg formed an alliance which was hailed by many observers as giving a decided fillip to the idea of a union for the whole of western Europe. It received the blessings of the United States.

This western European combine neatly complemented the union of 16 European countries which had banded together in support of the Marshall Plan. Indeed, time may demonstrate that the American European recovery project provided the nucleus for a United States of western Europe—and perhaps finally of all Europe in the happy days when Communism has had its run and the continent has returned to freedom.

FAVORED

Reynaud has some encouragement in expressing hope that Britain will give full support to a United States of Europe. While the British government has been cautious about committing itself in this matter, Prime Minister Attlee has said that he personally favors a federated Europe. And one cannot stop without recalling that Winston Churchill long has been going up and down the land, lending his powerful voice to the idea of a United States of Europe.



SHOW SLUMP

N.E.A. Service The U.S. entertainment industry is in the throes of its worst slump since depression days. It may be necessary to revise the song title, "There's No Business Like Show Business," by eliminating the last three words.

ONLY HALF DEAD

Windsor Star George Bernard Shaw, reading his own obituary in the *West African Pilot*, cabled the editor, "Your note is premature. I am only half dead yet." The Irish wit still can't come up to the American Mark Twain, who, under similar circumstances, remarked that "The report is grossly exaggerated."

HELPING DEWEY

Halifax Herald The Dixiecrats would appear to be doing their utmost to defeat President Truman, at the expense of the Democratic Party. The effect will be to take much of the "Solid South" vote from the old-line Democrats and by weakening them, strengthen the cause of the Republicans.

It is a spite campaign in which the nuisance value of extra candidates is being exploited to the limit. And none should be more pleased with it than Governor Dewey and his associates, for it enhances the Republican prospects.

CONFIDENCE IN UNITY

Montreal Star By announcing, regardless of American action, our readiness to adhere to the Western Union commitments, Canada might well hasten the development of the movement as a whole. Such a clear-cut decision would remove doubts from the British mind. It would, by the removal of doubt, pave the way toward a more complete integration of western European resources, for the United Kingdom would no longer feel that its choice was "either, or"—either Western Union or the maintenance of the Commonwealth. There is no reason, if there is vision, why Britain should be driven to such a choice.

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B.C. ELECTRIC

1,000 Liberal Students Honor Premier On Laurier House Lawn

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister King, flanked by two R.C. M.P. constables, Wednesday appeared at the doorstep of Laurier House as a crowd of almost 1,000 swarmed across his front lawn to pay him homage.

The 73-year-old retiring leader of the Liberal Party smiled happily as he lighted three four-foot torches representing the watchwords of this week's National Liberal Convention—unity, security and freedom.

The show was staged by a fun-loving group of 1,000 students, members of the Canadian University Liberal Federation, to wind up their one-day First National Convention here.

Led by a police motorcycle escort and a sound truck blaring campus songs, they had marched from the University of Ottawa.

A huge crowd awaited the

ceremony. As the marchers, led by the three torch-bearers, strode up the front walk of Laurier House, the crowd pushed past policemen.

A few minutes later, as the crowd roared "for he's a jolly good fellow," Mr. King appeared. Traffic on heavily-traveled Laurier Avenue was virtually stopped by this time.

Mr. King's appearance cut short a yell by a group of students from the University of Manitoba, Winnipeg. And it ended the crowd's impatient chant "We want Willy!"

Marcel Joyal of McGill University, Montreal, retiring president of C.U.L.F., presented to Mr. King an illuminated scroll on behalf of C.U.L.F.'s 1,000 members.

"I thank you with all my heart," said Mr. King, "for the

Beer License Lifted

VICTORIA (CP)—The beer license of the Columbia Hotel, Vancouver, was suspended Wednesday by liquor commissioner W. F. Kennedy, effective immediately. No reason was given for the suspension.

10 More Polio Cases

EDMONTON (CP)—Alberta's poliomyelitis toll Wednesday reached 64, double the figure at the same time last year. Ten new cases were reported, one from Edmonton, one from Calgary and the rest from rural districts. There have been two deaths from the crippling disease.

honor you have done me tonight and particularly for the honor you have done my home."

The house had been Sir Wilfrid Laurier's, he said. The students' demonstration was also a tribute to Sir Wilfrid's memory. The scroll would be left to the Liberal Party "when my days are over."

Plumbers Strike

WINNIPEG (CP)—More than 200 members of the United Association of Journeymen Plumbers and Steamfitters, Local 254 (A.F.L.) struck Wednesday in support of their demands for an increase in wages.

The plumbers and steamfitters are seeking a 25 cents an hour boost to \$1.60. They have rejected a conciliation board recommendation of \$1.45.



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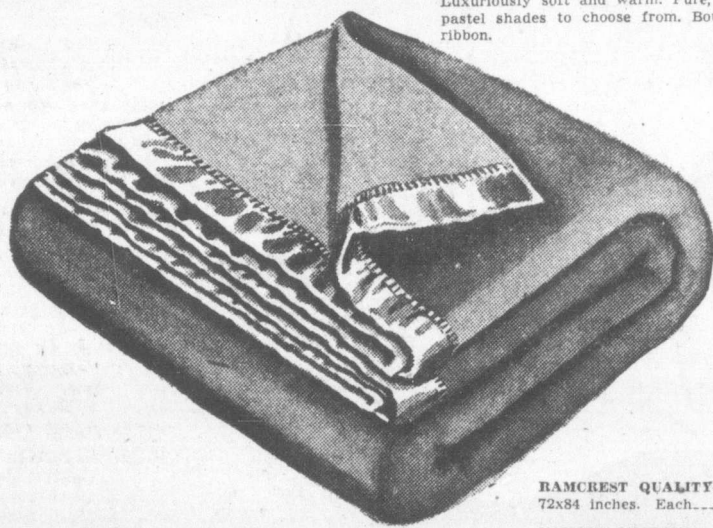
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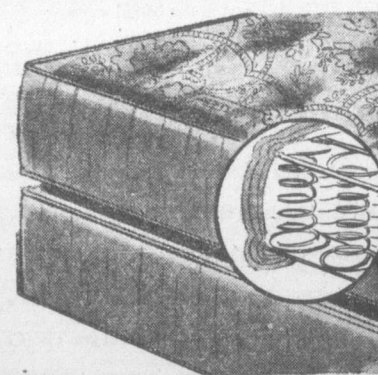
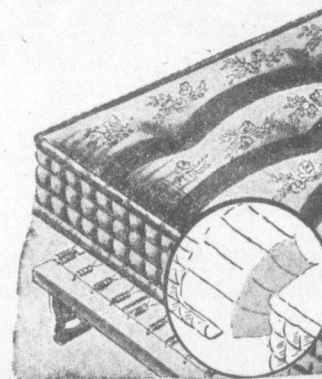
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Students Demand New Flag; Ask Power To Alter B.N.A.

OTTAWA (CP) — University students who support the Liberal Party urged today that Parliament be given the power to change Canada's constitution, the British North America Act.

Coupled with that, in a resolution adopted by the Canadian University Liberal Federation, is a suggestion that two-thirds of the Senate be appointed by the provinces. This, the C.U.L.F. said at its first national convention, would protect the rights of the provinces and of minority groups.

This and numerous other resolutions, passed by the C.U.L.F. at its one-day meeting, will go before the resolutions committee of the Liberal Party's national convention later this week.

Other student proposals:

1. Automatic retirement of senators at 75.
2. Abolition of appeals to the Privy Council.
3. A distinctive Canadian flag "containing either the Union Jack or the Fleur-de-Lys."
4. "Utmost assistance" to the United Nations; "moral and economic support" for Western Europe; strengthening of the armed forces on a scale in relation to Canada's "new position" in the world.
5. Support for the lowering of tariffs and other trade barriers.

Another resolution, which caught many delegates by surprise—but was adopted by a narrow margin—urges the government to launch a full-scale anti-inflation program. This should include, the convention said, use of price, wage, credit and investment controls and rationing of "individual commodities where necessary."

The C.U.L.F., with an estimated 1,000 members in 16 universities and colleges, elected a new president, Crawford Ferguson, of Trochu, Alta. Mr. Ferguson, a 21-year-old law student at the University of Alberta, succeeds Marcel Joyal, Montreal.

Frank Lewis of the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, was elected executive secretary.

Each of the 16 universities represented in the C.U.L.F. will have a vote in the party's election of a successor to Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

The students have given no indication whom they will favor.

The C.U.L.F. held a parade Wednesday night to Laurier House, Mr. King's residence. He lighted three torches, carried through downtown Ottawa to Parliament Hill for a dedication service at the monument to Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

The students went on record as "unalterably opposed" to any coalition of the Liberal Party with any other political group.

The original resolution on senators' ages recommended automatic retirement following their 70th birthday. The convention finally amended the original, making it 75 instead of 70.

"The University of British Columbia did not vote on the amendment, said the delegation spokesman, Frank Lewis: "Because of our large elderly population, we abstain."

A motion urging removal of the ban on oleomargarine was ruled out of order by Mr. Joyal because of the fact the matter now is before the Supreme Court. In a formal vote, the delegates upheld his ruling.

Gold Coast Natives' Disquiet Cause Of 29 Killed, 237 Hurt

LONDON (Reuter) — African distrust and suspicion of the European is poisoning life in the Gold Coast, the official commission inquiring into disturbances there in February and March this year has reported.

As a result of the disorders scattered throughout the country, 29 were killed and 237 injured.

"By far the most serious problem which the administration had to face in the Gold Coast is the suspicion which surrounds government activity of any sort," the report said.

Its origin, apart from political propaganda, was often obscure and it did not attach to individual persons in government service.

African soldiers returning from the war were disappointed at conditions on their return.

Among other "political" causes of unrest set out in the report were "a feeling of political frustration among the educated Africans, who saw no prospect of ever experiencing political power under existing conditions and who regarded the 1946 constitution as mere window-dressing designed to cover but not to advance their natural aspirations."

The report said another political cause was the government's failure to realize that with the spread of liberal ideas and increasing literacy, rule through chiefs was on the wane.

Economic causes included the continuance of wartime control of imports and the shortage and high prices of consumer goods.

Among "fantastic and malicious stories" commission was told were circulating through the cocoa belt was:

"Britain intends to sell the Gold Coast to the United States, but wishes to ensure the death of the cocoa industry to avoid subsequent competition."

Canadians Drawing More Cash From Bank

OTTAWA (CP) — Canadians, cashing cheques against individual accounts, drew \$6,475,000 from banks during June, the Bureau of Statistics said today. The total was an increase of more than 8 per cent over the June, 1947, figure of \$5,975,000.

Cheques cashed during the first six months of 1948 amounted to \$38,108,000,000, compared with \$36,409,000,000—a boost of almost 5 per cent.

The June totals in western areas, with last year's comparative figures in brackets:

Prairie provinces \$1,129,456,000 (\$1,085,181,000), British Columbia \$575,660,000 (\$412,230,000).

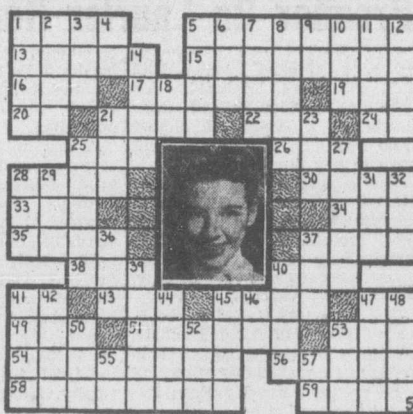
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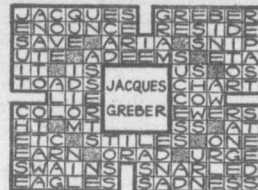
1. Pictured
2. Fortification
3. Property
4. Transference
5. Harem room
6. Sea alive
7. Dutch city
8. Myself
9. On the sheltered side
10. Crafty
11. Senior (ab.)
12. Poem
13. Harden
14. Exchange
15. Premium
16. Denomination
17. Nothing
18. Genus of grasses
19. Again
20. Dagger handle
21. Corded fabric
22. Small child
23. Noisy public (ab.)
24. Dative (ab.)
25. Bard
26. Rough lava
27. Swiss river
28. Handles
29. Emmet
30. She is making
31. career
32. Hackneyed
33. Hermit
34. Arabian gulf

VERTICAL

1. Preposition
2. Interpret
3. Girl's name
4. Symbol for sodium
5. Narrow way
6. Fourth Arabian caliph
7. Suite
8. Touches
9. Half-elm
10. Scottish sheepfold
11. Soaters
12. Belgian river
13. Earth goddess
14. Bustle
15. Affirmative
16. Lubricator
17. Lukewarm
18. Collection of sayings
19. Alcoholic drink
20. Mountain pass
21. Make edging
22. Escoused
23. Head covering
24. Father (comb. form)
25. Trial
26. Back of neck
27. Young salmon
28. Waste allowance
29. Go by
30. On time (ab.)
31. Poker stake
32. Solar disk
33. Fish eggs
34. Compass point
35. Assail



(Answer to previous puzzle)



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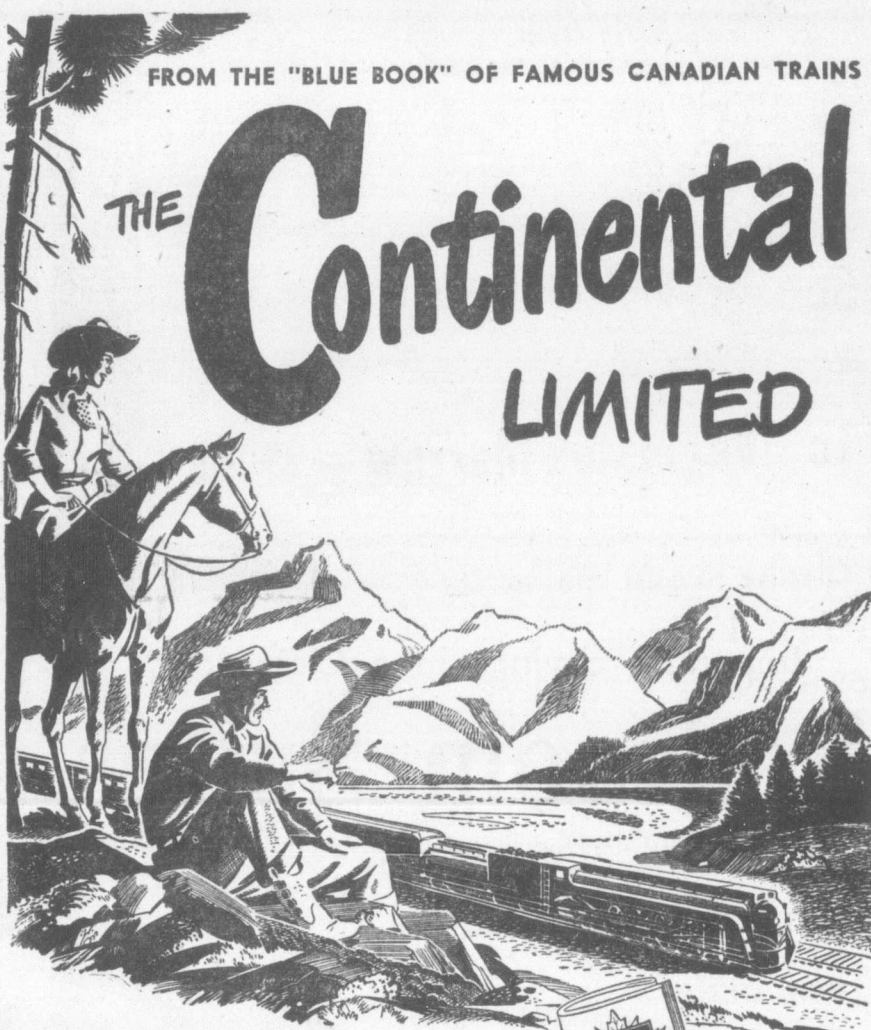
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Famed 'Met' May Not Reopen For 1948-49 Season

NEW YORK (AP)—The world-renowned Metropolitan Opera Wednesday canceled its 1948-49 season because, it said, demands for union wage increases could not be met. It would be the first time in 50 years that the "Met" has closed for a season.

The opera association said its decision was caused by "failure to reach agreements with all of the 12 unions representing the employees."

Shortly after the announcement, Local 802 of the American Federation of Musicians (A.F.M.) said it had reluctantly withdrawn demands for a wage boost in an effort to reach a settlement with the opera. This union said the only point it had continued to insist on was establishment of unemployment insurance and old-age benefits.

However, a spokesman for the opera indicated the decision not to open was final.

"This business of long drawn-out negotiations with the unions has been going on every year," he said. "The directors think it is time to meet the issue."

The opera's stars had not yet signed contracts for the next season. A spokesman for the Met said this was one matter which was held up by the wage disputes.

However, most of the soloists who sang last winter were expected to be engaged again. Among them were Lily Pons, Helen Traubel, Lauritz Melchior, Jan Peerce, Lawrence Tibbett, Bidu Sayao, Ferruccio Tagliavini and Leonard Warren.

Kingston Escapee Returns In Chains To Scene Of Break

BUFFALO, N.Y. (CP)—Nicholas (Nick) Minille returned in shackles Wednesday night to the Canadian border he last crossed after he jumped the walls of Kingston Penitentiary a year ago while under a 17-year sentence.

The 36-year-old Ottawa bank robber was brought in from the Pacific coast by plane and train in custody of United States immigration officials who prepared to turn him over to Canadian authorities.

Of three convicts who made the Kingston break, only Donald (Mickey) McDonald of Toronto still is at large. The third member of the group, Ulysses Lauzon of Windsor, was found shot dead in a ditch near Pascagoula, Miss., July 19.

Minille was arrested for a drug-store robbery in Oakland, Calif.

In Ottawa, R.C.M.P. officials said they were taking no chances that Minille will break loose again. He will complete the last leg of the 3,000-mile journey back to Kingston bearing handcuffs and leg irons.

Gangland Killing Near Joliet, Ill.

JOLIET, Ill. (AP)—The bloody, tortured body of an unidentified man was found doubled up in the trunk of a 1948 convertible car today on a side road about one mile north of Joliet.

The man, believed to be between 25 and 35 years of age, had been shot three times through the head. A rope was looped around his neck. Across his mouth, stretching from ear to ear were marks from adhesive tape.

Coroner E. A. Kingston of Will County said the man apparently withstood torture but died of the bullet wounds. Kingston said the man apparently was shot after being placed in the trunk. Two .45 caliber bullets were found beside the body. Numerous bruises on the man's body and shoulders gave evidence of torture, Kingston said.

The man was described as being six feet tall, having reddish-brown hair and weighing about 145 pounds. A belt buckle bore the initial "A."

Margarine Price Based On Nfld.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP)—If a pending Supreme Court judgment rules in favor of production and sale of margarine in Canada, a price policy may be formed on the basis of current prices in Newfoundland.

Margarine now sells here at 36 and 37 cents a pound, about half the price of butter in Canada.

Political observers here say that if the Canadian court approves margarine, it will become a provincial responsibility and it is considered possible that Newfoundland's system will provide a working basis.

Churchill Ready To Receive First Ship From England

CHURCHILL, Man. (CP)—Seaport officials at this northern Manitoba town on the rim of Hudson Bay said today everything is in readiness for opening

of the navigation season, with the first ship from England expected to arrive Aug. 9.

The officials added that this summer should be the busiest shipping season Churchill has yet seen, both for exports and imports.

In the export field members of the Hudson Bay Route Association—pledged to support the northern sea lane—hope that at least 10,000,000 bushels of wheat will be shipped overseas this

summer. Slightly less than half that was moved last year.

Association members believe imports will show a similar rise. First vessel due here, the North Anglia, is carrying a varied cargo including curling rocks and liquor, consigned for delivery to the three prairie provinces.

Preparations for arrival of deep-sea vessels have been completed. Soundings of the channel and the turning basin made

earlier in the season showed practically no silt deposits which might snag the ships and a recent recheck failed to reveal any late deposits.

The weekly train to Churchill, which arrived Tuesday, included among its passengers 50 stevedores from The Pas, Man., Saskatoon and Prince Albert, Sask., assigned to unloading incoming cargo from this season's ships and loading wheat and other exports into the vessels holds.

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Younger Generation Carries On Musical Tradition



The Petch sisters, Betty on the left, and Thora, have a musical heritage that includes a Welsh grandfather who imparted to every member of his family the love of singing, especially in harmony. Betty will make her first professional appearance in Victoria in the role of Lizette in "Naughty Marietta," the Starlight Theatre's final production of the season. Thora, well known as a radio and concert singer, came from Vancouver for her sister's debut.—Photo by Bill Halkett.

Lynn Jonson is her stage name. In private life she is Mrs. Gordon Hilker, mother of two attractive children, a boy, six-and-a-half years and a girl, one year old.

But to Victorians she will always be Betty Petch, the dark-haired, hazel-eyed young girl, who in years gone by was an active member of the city's Beaux Arts Society and appeared in amateur plays and club musicals here,

among them, the Gyro musical, that gave Miss Dorothy Wilson, star of the recent Starlight Theatre production, "Florodora," her start.

"I was a humble member of the chorus, wide-eyed and thrilled," Betty remembers, "and Dorothy was one of the principals."

The Petch family, early residents of Victoria, have always been interested in singing.

"We couldn't help it," Betty Petch tells you, "grandfather was Welsh, and after dinner every night, he would gather my uncle and my father around the big table and lead them in singing the old songs he loved. They could sing almost before they could walk. In turn they taught their children."

"I'm merely following in the family tradition," she added with a smile.

That family tradition includes an uncle Edmund, well known on the New York stage as Victor Edmunds, and another uncle, Ernie Petch, who will be remembered in Victoria for his singing in concerts and musicals. Her father, Jack Petch, also sang in many amateur productions. A brother, Bill Petch, appeared here as a principal in "Florodora."

Some years ago Betty went to Vancouver to continue her musical studies. She appeared in concerts there and on CBR.

Seven years ago she made her debut with the Theatre Under the Stars, in the "Chocolate Soldier," a role she repeated last year. She has also appeared in "Maytime," "Roberta" and many other Theatre Under the Stars productions.

In the winter she is production manager of the popular division of Hilker attractions and takes shows to Banff, Calgary and many northern points in British Columbia.

Although she loves singing, Betty Petch also loves character acting, with production work running a close third.

"I hope to continue my work for some years," she tells you, "in all three branches."

Mr. Brian Larman, Cherninus, is in the city for several days, visiting his cousin, Mr. James Hook, Zinnia Road, Saanich.

Personal Notes

Miss Barbara Beer and Mr. Clifford Manners of Toronto, are visiting Miss Beer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Beer, Island Highway at Colwood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pednault have had as their guest the latter's mother, Mrs. G. Dewhurst, Ganges Harbor, Salt Spring Island.

Miss Sylvia Petch and her mother, Mrs. Arthur Petch, left today for Vancouver. They will return to their home at 1231 Montrose Avenue, at the beginning of next week.

Li-Col. J. Bell and Mrs. Bell of Ottawa are vacationing on Vancouver Island, and are guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. McNaughton, Island Highway at Langford.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Chaplin, 980 Quadra Street, left this morning by plane for Toronto, where they will visit Mr. Chaplin's brother and sister-in-law, Dr. Bob Chaplin and Dr. Eleanor Chaplin. En route east, they will spend several days in Regina with Mr. and Mrs. G. Speers.

Miss Mildred Edmonds returned to Victoria on Tuesday following two years spent in Ottawa as a member of the staff of the National Research Council, and will spend a month's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Edmonds, 1360 Pembroke Street. Mrs. G. Montgomery, Ottawa, accompanied Miss Edmonds to Victoria, and will be her guest here.

Mr. Archie McKinnon, Victoria, coach of the Canadian Olympic swimming team, signed the visitors' book at British Columbia House, London, Eng., during the past week. Names of other Victorians include Mrs. George A. Davidson, Messrs. Edward Hodgson and W. Harry Hickman, also Mr. Robin Wood, Esquimalt, and Mr. Michael West, Cowichan Bay.

Mrs. F. H. Murie is a visitor in the city from Vancouver, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Grant, 1623 Amphion Street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jensen are summer visitors at Langford Lake, the guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lathan Jensen, Lake End Road.

Small friends of Trisha Diane Kelly attended a delightful party Monday afternoon, when Mrs. T. R. Kelly, Island Highway, Langford, entertained at the "Wishing Well" on the occasion of her daughter's fourth birthday. Those attending were Diane McKell, Nancy Clark, Kristin Goodmanson, Joan Hicks, Judy Jacobs, Vicki Nordahl, Greg Findlay and Julian Johannson.

Mrs. J. Byron entertained members of her Sunday school class at her home on North Salt Spring Island. Children played games and took part in a treasure hunt. Archdeacon G. H. Holmes presented regular attendance prizes to Norman, Gordon and Sheila Derksen and Shirley Howard. Afternoon tea was served, with Mrs. G. H. Holmes assisting.

Honeymooning in Victoria are Mr. and Mrs. J. Cook of Birch Hills, Sask., who motored to the Pacific Coast through the Canadian Rockies. They are staying at Hotel Douglas and visiting Mrs. Cook's sister, Miss Lavina Archibald, 938 Queens Avenue. On Saturday the young couple will leave for Nanaimo and Vancouver, and through the United States to their Saskatchewan home. They will be accompanied to the mainland by Miss Archibald and Miss Eleanor Paterson, who will spend the week-end with them there.

Mr. A. Harvey was hostess to over 50 teenagers at her home, Ganges Hill, Salt Spring Island, to honor Miss Claire Devine and Miss Jackie Garrett. Guests danced to music supplied by Mike Byron, and during the evening a spot dance was won by Patsy Childerstone and Donald Jenkins. Kello Wilson acted as master of ceremonies. Later a buffet supper was served, with Mrs. C. Devine and Mrs. J. Garrett assisting the hostess.

A surprise miscellaneous shower was given by Miss No-rene Parker at 509 Niagara Street to honor her sister, Jean, who on Aug. 21 will become Mrs. Raymond Bond. Corsage bouquets were presented to the bride-elect, her mother, Mrs. H. G. Parker, and mother of the groom-elect, Mrs. A. D. Bond. Games were played and later in the evening a buffet supper was served. Other guests included Mrs. Ken Chalmers, Mrs. F. Parker, Mrs. C. Parker and Misses Merla and Fern Parker.

Mrs. C. Price and Mrs. R. Roe were co-hostesses at a shower held at the former's home, 3855 Rowland Avenue, Wednesday, to honor Miss Patsy Medd. Corsage bouquets were presented to the bride-elect and her mother, Mrs. A. Medd. Miscellaneous gifts were contained in a decorated basket. Games and contests were played and refreshments were served. Guests included Mesdames G. Hobbs, A. Medd, J. Butts, J. Smith, W. Price, C. Price, J. Holland, B. Scott, D. Andrist, R. Roe, V. Greston, N. Passmore, Joyce Greston, Peggy Medd, Ada Hall and Elva Hobbs.

Naval uniforms were worn by best man Ian Bell, and ushers AB, Frizel and AB. Yool. American Beauty roses and snow white gladioli fashioned the fan-shaped bouquet carried by the bride.

Her gown of oyster white slipper satin was made with sweetheart neckline, basque bodice and full skirt slightly en train. A circle of orange blossoms held the fingertip veil of embroidered net.

A bouquet of golden daffodil and mauve-hued sweet peas complemented the gown of yellow nylon enriched with bands of eyelet, worn by honor attendant, Miss Ethel Wilson. Her white tulle headdress was trimmed with flowers and she wore long white mitts.

Mrs. T. Floyd sang "O Perfect Love," as the bridal party signed the register.

A three-tier wedding cake flanked by tapers in silver holders, was cut by the just-weds at a reception at Olde England Guest House. Mrs. Richards and Mrs. Reynolds assisted in welcoming guests. Toast to the couple's future happiness was given by Capt. L. J. M. Gauvreau, R.C.N. (Rtd.).

Later the bride and groom left for their wedding trip up-island. Mrs. Richards wore a teal-blue gabardine suit with accessories in white and corsage bouquet of pink roses. Their new home will be at 302 Robert Street.

Clubwomen's News

Community Club—The regular meeting of Esquimalt Community Club was held in the club hall, Sturdee Street, with the president, Mrs. R. McVie, in the chair. The sick visits convener reported 19 visits made during July and one needy case assisted. It was announced that the July garden party realized \$80 and that a picnic at Willows Beach was a success. Mrs. L. Howe was elected secretary and date of the next meeting was set as the second Monday in September when members will return their anniversary calendars.

Saskatchewan Trip For Newlyweds



MR. AND MRS. ALFRED EDWARD LINFORD
Photo by Paul Joncas

Motoring through United States en route to Saskatchewan, on their wedding trip, are Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Edward Linford, who were married Monday evening at Metropolitan United Church.

Dr. A. S. Tuttle heard the nuptial vows of the bride, the former Margaret Elizabeth Ann "Peggy" Webb, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. George Earl, 2137 Spring Road, and groom, son of Mrs. Katherine Linford, 976 Annie Street, and the late Mr. Linford.

Gleaming ice-blue satin and sheerest of net fashioned the bride's gown made with yoke of net, sleeves shirred above the wrists, and satin peplum gathered over the net skirt. She wore a stiffened net Dutch cap with shoulder-length veil to match, and a single strand pearl necklace. Carnations, sweet peas and sweetheart roses formed her shower bouquet.

Similar net-skirted gowns of broadened silk were worn by attendants, Miss Eloner Squires, honor maid, in orchid mauve, with sheaf bouquet of yellow and white gladioli, and Misses Ruth Mellings, bridesmaid, and Miss Pat Shawcross, bridesmaid, in cameo pink gowns, who carried pink and white gladioli.

Fresh blossoms similar to those in their bouquets, fashioned their headresses.

D. L. Sproston was groomsmen and ushers were Ronald Mellings and Allan Earl, brother and stepbrother of the bride, Jack Palmer and Graham Rice.

Mr. Earl, who gave his stepdaughter in marriage, proposed

the toast at a reception at Louheed's Banquet Hall. Over 75 guests were received by the newlyweds, assisted by their mothers.

Pink carnations decorated the bride's table, centred with a three-tier cake, topped with sweetheart roses. As the couple left on their wedding trip, the bride wore a three-piece gabardine ensemble in wine, with grey accessories and corsage bouquet of sweetheart roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Linford will return to make their home at 976 Annie Street.

\$345 Realized At Ganges Fete

Members of the W.A. and Altar Guild of St. George's and St. Mary's Churches held their annual garden fete at Harbor House, Ganges, Salt Spring Island, when \$345 was realized.

The affair was opened by Sir Vincent Jones.

Stalls and games were placed on the lawn, and afternoon tea was served in the dining-room.

Conveners of stalls were: Home produce, Mrs. W. Hele and Mrs. W. Y. Stewart, assisted by Mesdames J. Fletcher, F. L. Jackson and J. Bryant; needlework, Mrs. W. Norton and Mrs. A. Davis, assisted by Mesdames G. H. Holmes, S. Bannister and G. J. Mouat; miscellaneous, Mrs. E. Adams and Mrs. F. Sharpe; flowers, Mrs. H. Croft and Mrs. J. Byron; soft drinks, Miss Kay Davine; fish pond, Miss Sadie Hele; clock golf, Mrs. A. Robinson.

Vesuvius Bay Circle sponsored a home-cooking stall convened by Miss K. Motherwell, assisted by Mesdames A. M. Duke, V. Ramsay, P. Lowther and Miss M. Harrington, which realized \$60.

Members of evening branch of the W.A. were in charge of the candy stall, with Mrs. J. Potts, convenor, assisted by Mrs. E. Greensides and Mrs. L. Mouat.

Tennis tournament was run by P. D. Crofton.

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Canadian Designers Use Psycho-Analysis In Fall Hat Showings

TORONTO (CP)—Psycho-analysis has invaded the hat designing business. The newest idea in hat shows is based on the theory that a woman shows off her personality every time she wears a bonnet.

The idea was cooked up by Mrs. Kate Aitken, director of women's activities at the Canadian National Exhibition, and will be demonstrated at the fall fair starting Aug. 27.

At a press preview yesterday, eight stunning chapeaux were shown as representative models of eight different types of "moods" of Canadian women. There was the coy, romantic style, the unadorned tailored and intellectual, youthful models of light-hearted numbers, voluptuous, daring and busy active affair for the restless.

The newspaper women picked their four favorites in order of preference, then were psycho-analysed according to type and personality.

"You're reckless, impulsive and discreetly indiscreet, but common sense turns these qualities to your advantage," the fashion consultant-analyst told one reporter who selected the restless, voluptuous and intellectual hats.

The hats were specially designed by Karen Ross of Toronto, creator of Barbara Ann's now-famous umbrella hat. Miss Ross believes Canadian women prefer "sane, sensible" styles.

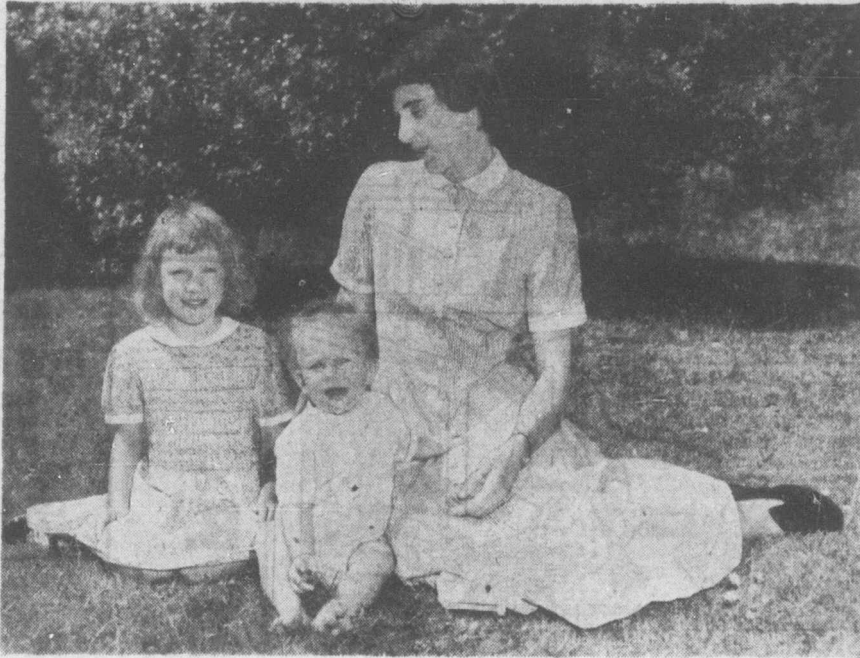
Even the tailored type—a hunter's green semi-profile hat—was lacking in severity. The brim was fashioned with hand-fluted pleats and a clipped ostrich plume zoomed upwards.

Newest touch was the voluptuous bicorne affair. It was more than 20 inches across and ended at each point with curled ostrich feathers. It was of soft felt in spode wine and draped softly across the back.

Another favorite was the darling type, a tortoise shell felt swept into a huge beret. A profile black velvet visor matched the two pelquin quilts slanting down from the right side.

Take your choice ladies! But here's a warning—the men in the crowd pointed enthusiastically towards the intellectual numbers.

Arrive From New York To Spend Summer With Parents



Mrs. Edward F. Minch Jr., with her daughter and son, Jennifer and Eric, form an attractive family group as they are pictured at the home of Mrs. Minch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Neville Wright, Rockland Avenue. Mrs. Minch, the former Hazel Wright, has come from New York with her children to spend a few months in the city.

New Romance In Royal Family As Princess Nears 18th Year

LONDON (AP)—London society is talking about a possible new royal romance. It links Princess Margaret, with the handsome Marquess of Blandford, 22-year-old cousin of Winston Churchill.

Princess Margaret has said she wants to marry "when I meet the right man," palace sources report. She will celebrate her 18th birthday Aug. 21 and become officially of age.

Palace sources say Lord Blandford, a lieutenant in the Life Guards, ranks "ace high" with Princess Margaret right now. Others mentioned in the past include Lord Forrester, young Lord Ogilvy, Lord Milford Haven and other peers. They have been her escorts many times.

Lord Blandford, who returned recently from service in the

Middle East, is a son of the 10th Duke and Duchess of Marlborough. Their estate, Blenheim Palace, is said to be the largest private home in England.

Lord Blandford has escorted Princess Margaret to several parties. The latest was one given last week at Blenheim by the Duke and Duchess. More than 100 guests attended.

When Princess Margaret becomes 18 she would be eligible to succeed to the throne without need for a regency. But she won't be qualified to be a councillor of state until she is 21.

She is expected to have a lady-in-waiting of her own after her birthday. Now one of the Queen's or Princess Elizabeth's ladies attends her at public engagements.

Dress designers say Margaret has the best developed dress sense of any member of the royal family. Palace circles say she is having a continual battle with her family about wearing things her parents consider too old for her.

Plain Cake

Half cup shortening, ¼ cup sugar, 2 eggs, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 2 cups sifted pastry flour, or 1½ cups sifted all-purpose flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, ¼ teaspoon salt, ¼ cup milk.

Cream shortening until fluffy, gradually cream in sugar. Add beaten eggs and vanilla and beat thoroughly until light and creamy. Mix and sift dry ingredients and add a third at a time alternately with the milk, combining lightly. Bake in a greased cake tin 8 ins. x 8 ins. in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for 40 to 45 minutes. Turn cake out on a rack to cool.

The girl who is smart, learns to whip up a pan of muffins in a minute while the man of the house is coming up the front steps. She has mastered one simple way, to culinary fame. The method of mixing muffins differs from that of cake.

Meringue

Two egg whites, pinch of salt, ¼ teaspoon baking powder, 2 tablespoons sugar, ¼ teaspoon cinnamon.

Add salt to egg whites and beat until stiff. Mix baking powder and sugar and gradually beat into the egg whites. Spread meringue over filling, dust with cinnamon and bake in a moderately slow oven (325 degrees F.) until delicately browned, about 15 minutes. Yield: Six servings.

When you return from a vacation trip, give suitcases a thorough cleaning. Saddle-soap leather parts to cleanse and protect the surface; wipe plastic-coated fabric with a damp cloth; brush linings free of soil. Suitcases and trunks can be used between trips for dust-free storage of clothes or linens. Many cases are low enough to fit under beds where they can be kept convenient for storage.

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Liberal Women Will Urge Many Reforms At Convention

OTTAWA (CP)—Women of the Liberal Party have marshaled their forces for battle, and this national convention may turn into a pepper-pot should the resolutions committee try sidestepping their demands.

Gathered last night at a dinner-meeting of the National Federation of Liberal Women, the 200 women delegates and alternates approved six resolutions for presentation to the committee.

Most of the proposals urge greater political opportunity for women.

"I suggest that we have a committee of 26 strong women ready if any of these resolutions don't reach the floor..." said Mrs. Gwen Morris of Vancouver.

Discussions throughout the evening pointed up the fact that the women think it's about time the men-folk took a tip from the other parties.

"The newer parties have the right idea in regard to women," the resolution said. "They have had confidence in their ability and have featured women instead of keeping them in the background—and so have been all too successful at the polls for our comfort."

Mrs. Paul Ragan of Edmonton, vice-president of the provincial association, introduced a resolution that one-third of the senators appointed in each province should be women.

"Out of 96 senate seats only two women are represented—and none from the west," she said.

Another resolution urged establishment of Mackenzie King centres in such cities as Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, and Winnipeg, where students, professional persons and those in industry might meet and discuss topics of mutual interest.

Senator Cairine Wilson of Ottawa recommended by resolution that the government amend the Civil Service Act to permit persons over 35 years of age to enter the civil service on a permanent basis.

Mrs. Nancy Hodges of Victoria, a member of the B.C. Legislature and N.F.L.W. president, said the present situation "is contributing to that unfortunate psychology that a person is too old at 35."

Club Calendar

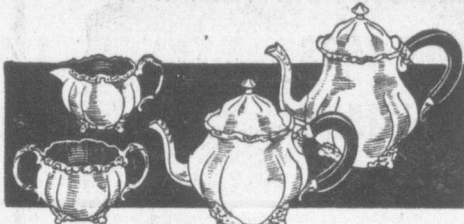
Business meeting, Daughters of St. George Lodge, No. 238, Friday at 8. Final plans to be made for trip to Seattle.

Victorian To Dance

Miss June Day, Victoria dancer, is replacing one of the Vancouver dancers in the Starlight Theatre's production of "Naughty Marietta."

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Champion Describes How To Iron Shirts

NORTH BAY, Ont. (CP)—Make every turn of your shirt count and use a hot iron, is Mrs. Mary Stevens' advice if you aspire to her record of ironing and folding a shirt in three minutes and three seconds.

The North Bay woman who averaged 18 shirts to the hour, challenges anyone to beat her in the special shirt ironing competition at the Canadian National Exhibition.

Only nine turns of the shirt are required in her self-developed technique. First she irons both sides of the collar and the shoulders, each step making one turn. The sleeves require two turns and the body of the shirt five.

To fold the shirt Mrs. Stevens fastens every second button down the front, folds the shirt towards the back on each side, and flips the sleeves and body in three folds.

Mrs. Stevens' ironing experience goes back to 1912 when she began working in a Vancouver laundry. She also ironed in a North Bay laundry for a short time, but left there when she married.

Following her husband's death 15 years ago, she went back to work to support her three children.

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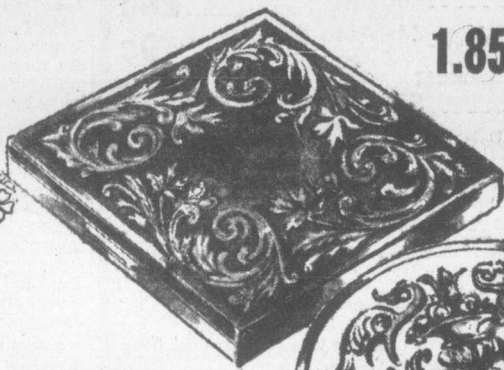
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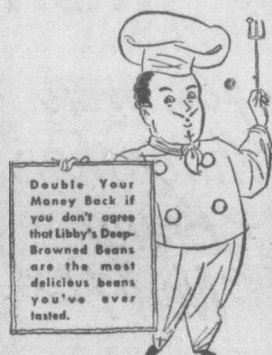
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Local A.F.L. Council Advocates Tax Aid For Road Upkeep

The Victoria and District Trades Council (A.F.L.) is advocating payment to the city and municipalities of a share of the tax on gasoline used by buses of the Greater Victoria transportation system to help maintain roads over which the heavy vehicles run.

At a meeting Wednesday night, the council was informed by the city that it does not receive any portion of the gasoline tax.

The labor group feels that for roads used continually by buses, some assistance should be given to keep them in good repair.

WEIGHTS OFFICER

The City Council will be asked to appoint a fair weights and measures officer with power to prosecute dealers who give short measures in wood and coal.

Council was informed of the appointment to the provincial hospital advisory council under the Hospital Insurance Act of James McMillan, grand lodge representative of the International Association of Machinists.

H. Thayer, reporting for the Senior Citizens' Council, advised the meeting a plan for housing aged people in Burnaby is under study by the Victoria group with the possibility similar action will be taken here.

AGREEMENTS SIGNED

It was reported by V. Midgley for the carpenters union that excellent agreements have been signed with the San San Floor Company and David Spencer Ltd. For the latter, the agreement covers employees of the drapery department workroom.

A film was shown and a lecture given by Sgt. Brooke Douglass of the city police on traffic safety. Sgt. Douglass was assisted by Cont. Ian Duncan.

Among delegates to the meeting were: S. Schurr, R. Hinneky, B. Restall and T. Walker of the Seafarers' International Union; Laurence Speers, Hod Carriers and Building Laborers' Union; John A. McCallum, Cement, Lime and Gypsum Workers' local; D. Campbell and J. R. S. Green, Shipyard Riggers' local; Ralph Stuart, Barbers' Union.

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Organ-Piano Duo Present Pleasing Musical Program

The Summer School of Education's series of concerts concluded Wednesday with a pleasing and novel concert performance by the organ-piano duo of Bernie Ryall and Bruce "And" Anderson.

The audience gave enthusiastic ovations to each number on the program, the first concert-type appearance of the two musicians who are rapidly gaining in popularity in the city.

The fine touch of both men, Anderson on the piano and Ryall on the Hammond electric organ, was apparent as the two blended into pleasing melodies.

The program was varied. Some lighter classical numbers, popular tunes, Latin American rhythm, and selections from musical shows all received favorable audience reaction.

Each man rendered one solo number. Mr. Ryall playing Easthope Martin's "Evening Song" and Mr. Anderson Jack Fina's "Piano Portrait." The pair held close attention with their version of the first movement of Beethoven's "Moonlight Sonata" and Bach's "Ave Maria."

Five Hundred Join In Summer School Gymnastic Display

More than 500 student-teachers at the Summer School showed how physical education throughout B.C. will be stimulated when schools reopen in September, as they staged a gymnastic display at the Victoria High School gymnasium Wednesday.

Every event on the program of box vaulting, pyramids, folk dancing, group games and an exercise table were mixed. According to G. D. Gillespie, director of physical education at Summer School, mixed classes in sports and gymnastics are being encouraged in order that children in smaller schools may receive full benefit of these subjects.

In the opinion of physical education teachers, the day when a teacher gave a class a ball and bat and let students get their exercise on their own is past. Now the children receive supervised instruction from teachers familiar with the subject.

Majority of Wednesday's program was student-trained, with Mr. Gillespie and his co-instructors, Miss Vera Gilchrist, May Adams and Nancy Ferguson, merely supervising.

Canadian Red Cross Society's life-saving and water safety instructors' certificates were presented by Robert Stangroom, Vancouver, who conducted the course.

Cadets Watch Plane Drop Rescue Gear

Air cadets attending summer camp at Patricia Bay saw an R.C.A.F. air sea rescue demonstration Wednesday when an Avro Lancaster bomber flown from Vancouver dropped special rescue gear to a "distressed" boat.

The R.C.A.F. crash boat Brant played the part of the distressed boat which picked up the dropped gear. The Brant, piloted by Sgt. W. J. Carlson, then returned to its base while the Lancaster flew home to Vancouver.

Watching the exercise were several Victoria air cadets. They included Cpl. R. Huntley, 1357 Esquimalt Road; Cpl. J. Parker, 1240 Fairfield Road, and LAC. G. Smith, 866 Heywood Avenue.

Aged Men's Picnic

The annual picnic of residents at the Aged Men's Home was held Wednesday at the Chalet, Deep Cove.

During lunch in the Chalet dining-room, entertainment was provided by Stan James, Bill Ander-

son and Frank Lavery. Patrik Morris was awarded a prize for winning a dart competition.

Ald. Margaret Christie, chairman of the home committee, and Mrs. F. E. Mutrie, social administrator, attended the picnic.

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Hiroshima, Aug. 5, 1948: Three Years After, The 'Ichiban' City Sees Its Scars As Peace Monuments

Pictures and Text
By RICHARD C. FERGUSON

HIROSHIMA, Japan—On its third anniversary as the world's first victim of atomic warfare, Hiroshima has a new and consuming interest in world peace.

The shadows cast by the burst of "ichiban"—Atom Bomb No. 1—are still etched on the side of the city gas tank.

Keloids raised by atomic radiation still swell the bodies of "ichiban" victim Kiyoshi Kikkawa and 9,428 other badly-burned casualties still alive.

Shinzo Hamai, the 43-year-old city clerk who became mayor, suffers from an acute deficiency of white corpuscles as a reminder of "ichiban."

But Hamai, like the rest of the civic leaders and like countless survivors, touched or untouched, is marking the birthday of atomic warfare with a gigantic peace festival.

This year the Hiroshima Peace Festival Society has decided to preserve some of the landmarks of the A-bomb's deadly debut as a reminder to the rest of the world, landmarks like the shadows on the gas tank; like T-bridge, target for the "ichiban" bombardier; like the twisted shell of the Industrial Museum; like the slender steel tower near the centre of impact.

BELL RINGS

On the peace grounds, over which the bomb burst at 9.15 a.m. on Aug. 6, 1945 (by Hiroshima clocks), 1948's big noise at the exact same moment is the pealing of a peace bell, and the flutter of wings of white doves released as the bell rings.

The Hiroshima Peace Festival Society, which Mayor Hamai heads, hopes some day to have a more imposing memorial than doves, a bell, and "ichiban" scars. They want to build a replica of America's Statue of Liberty on the blackened site of Hiroshima Castle, which the bomb destroyed.

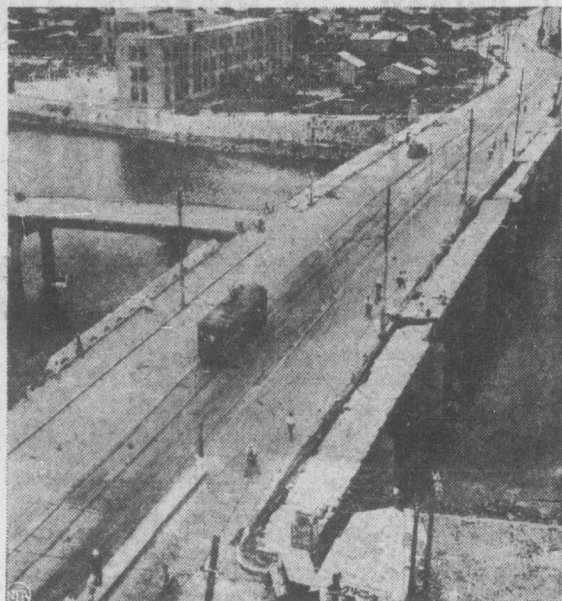
The urge to rebuild Hiroshima as a peace centre has, as Mayor Hamai puts it mildly, "several obstacles that must be overcome."

Its primary function, from 1871



With Australian Maj. S. A. Jarvie, Allied planning advisor, Hiroshima's Mayor Shinzo Hamai plans relocation of tower in background which marks centre of A-bomb's impact. Tower survived bombing, but is not exactly on correct position.

until the surrender in World War II, was as a port of embarkation for Japan's troops. Its port must be developed before there can be industrial growth. Nothing has



been produced for export since the war ended because most of the industrial plants, converted for munitions-making during the war, have been earmarked for reparations.

AMBITIOUS PLAN

More ambitious for Hiroshima than even Mayor Hamai is the Allied city planning advisor, Major S. A. Jarvie, an Australian army engineer.

The walls of his office in City Hall, next door to the mayor, are covered with maps of every description, from the track of prevailing winds to tentative plans for an elevated railway system.

Japanese flock to his office every day. Some bear blueprints of fantastic brainstorms for Hiroshima's rebuilding. Just as many complain the rebuilding is too slow, although 85 per cent of the city has been rebuilt in some fashion. And just as many stay home and complain that such fancy planning is useless; let Hiroshima rebuild itself, they say,

just as it has after other wars, earthquakes and fires.

Miss Wakako Honda was teaching her day's first class in a Hiroshima primary school when the age of atomic warfare burst over the Japanese city three years ago.

As the building crumbled over her head, she crawled under her desk. She was the only person who escaped from the burning classroom without an injury.

Today Miss Honda is a clerk with the city government's industrial and commerce division. When she says "I would like to see Hiroshima stand out forever as a symbol of peace to the world," she is echoing the thoughts of countless other Hiroshima survivors, from Mayor Hamai on down.

Many of them began the atomic age with nothing but bitterness and a desire for revenge, like Shunsyke Yoshioka, 22, a clerk in city hall, who in the intervening three years has become one of the more active members of the Hiroshima Peace Festival Society.

Fukutaro Okitsuki is not active in the society, but he has the same idea. Until 9.15 a.m. on Aug. 6, 1945, he was a wealthy restaurant owner. Now the family business is a small ice cream store, run by his two war-veteran sons, and the family home is a single room adjacent to the business.

"I now think the bomb was a blessing in disguise," he says today, "but it took me a long time to realize it. The atomic bomb was the blow that destroyed our will to continue fighting."

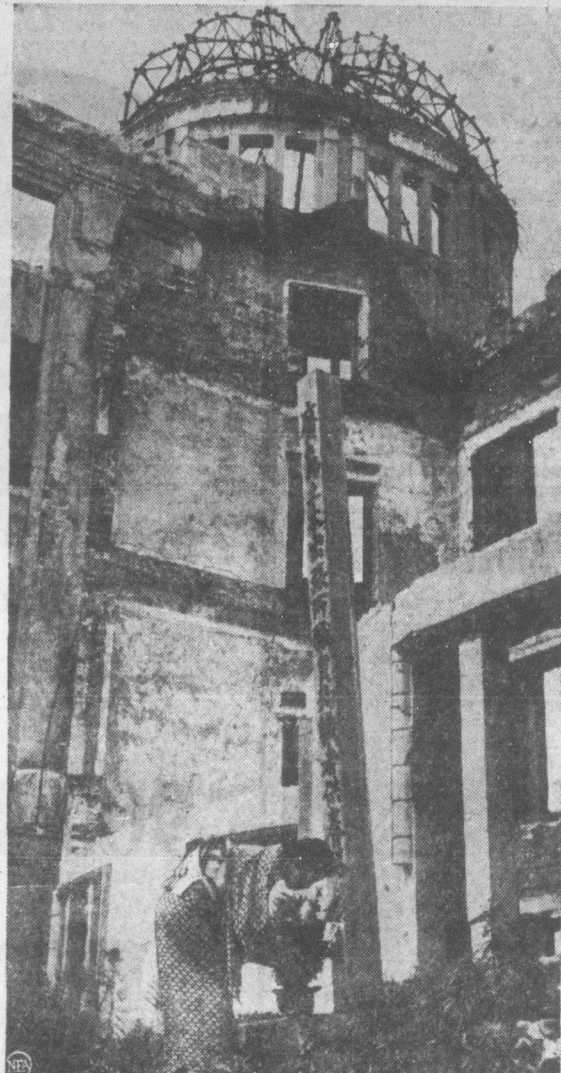
Eijiro Yamada, 58, was riding his bicycle to work when "ichiban" struck. When he finally made his way home that evening, his hair and mustache were gone and he was covered with blood, and his wife didn't recognize him.

GLAD TO BE ALIVE

Today Yamada and his neighbor Taknosuk Hamasho, 55, celebrate merely the fact that they are alive and able to talk about Aug. 6, 1945. They belong to the die-hard Japanese group that thinks such things as peace festivals and reconstruction should follow the pattern of bygone centuries.

"This may have something to do with Yamada's complaint that 'life is terrible today.' He does, however, have three meals a day, his hair and mustache have grown back and he concedes he is not against atomic warfare because 'it would certainly bring a hasty end to any conflict.' Probably the least interested in

What have three years done to the city that was the target for the first atomic bomb in Hiroshima today, traffic rolls again over the battered bridge (left) on which a B-29 focused its bombsight on Aug. 6, 1945. Beside the nearby Industrial Museum (below), a woman fills a helmet with flowers in memory of her husband, killed in the building's wreckage. These are some of the scars that remain, and Hiroshima wants to preserve them as monuments to peace. Richard C. Ferguson, NEA-Acme bureau chief in Japan, tells the story in an exclusive pen-and-lens report on the city and the people of "Ichiban," three years after.



In Hiroshima Red Cross Hospital, a doctor examines the deformed hand of Kiyoshi Kikkawa, atom bomb victim No. 1. He and his wife (left), both severely burned, live at the hospital and are "Exhibit A" for important visitors.

Hiroshima's future is Kiyoshi Kikkawa, who is called the No. 1 A-bomb victim and is quartered at the Red Cross Hospital with his wife for ready exhibition to important visitors.

A prime specimen of the effects of radiation, Kikkawa's back, neck, arms and chest are covered with keloids, which have returned despite several attempts at plastic surgery.

WANTS MONEY

In past years he has talked freely and willingly posed for pictures. Today he arrogantly says the world owes him a living, and demands payment when his picture is taken. Because of reports that he is on the Japanese government payroll and kept at the hospital as "exhibit A," Allied authorities will have nothing to do with his case beyond suggesting he be moved out to make room in the crowded hospital.

Keeping track of victims like Kikkawa is a job that will last as long as reconstruction and the Peace Society's dream of a Statue of Liberty. Each day, 20 Americans and 100 Japanese employees of the Atomic Bomb Casualty Commission check the blood of from five to 20 Hiroshima bomb victims. Others are conducting an exhaustive genealogical study.

To get the answers the commission is seeking, its director, Lieut.-Col. Carl F. Tesser, thinks the work should go on for the next 20 to 30 years.

Most of Hiroshima's scars should be gone by then.

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PORT ALBERNI—A challenge to locals in the United States to send their top-flight loggers and mill men to compete in logger events for the title of world champion at the gala Paul Bunyan Day celebrations to be held here on Labor Day, has been issued by Local 185, I.W.A.

Many valuable prizes are to be offered.

A full day of water sports on the Somass River and incorporation of Indian sports on the program, under supervision of the Native Brotherhood, are planned according to James Saxby, secretary of the Alberni District Joint Labor Council.

Competing for the title of Labor Day Queen in a contest to be held under longshoremen are Mary Ivezich, Betty Cooley and Phyllis Paquette.

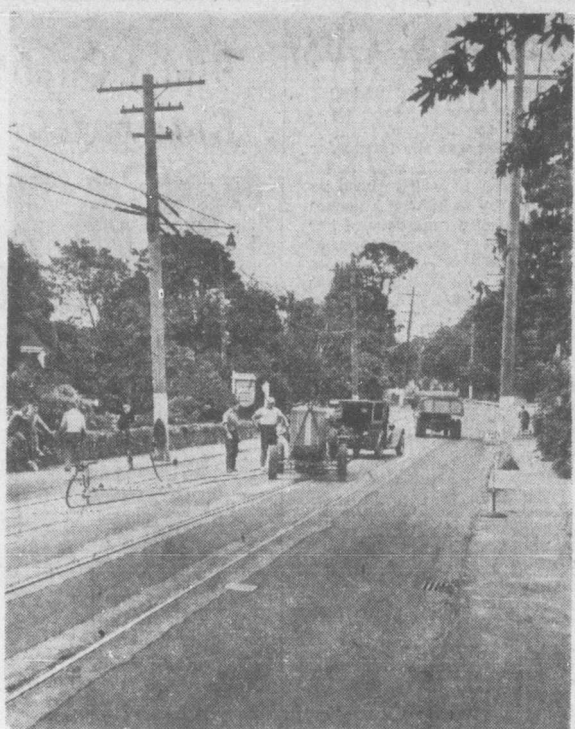
In charge of the Paul Bunyan sports are James Trebett, chairman; Mr. Saxby and Mark Mosher and R. Tassie.

Nanaimo To Improve Sewerage System

NANAIMO—Plans of the city council for extensive improvements to Nanaimo's water and sewerage systems were outlined before members of the Gyro Club here, by Ald. Earl Westwood, chairman of the finance committee.

A by-law seeking authority to borrow \$20,000 for the proposed work will be put by council before the ratepayers. Ald. Westwood said much of the money would be spent on the pipeline leading from No. 1 reservoir to the city and the transfer of water pipes carried by an old bridge over Nanaimo River to a bridge of recent construction.

The proposed work includes renewal of Millstone Bridge leading to Newcastle Townsite and the installation of a sewerage system in the south end of the city, which has recently been taken into the city, he said.



ENDING MENACE—Workmen begin the task of streetcar track removal in the Dardanelles and City Hall officials believe another traffic menace will vanish with the tracks. It is felt that, with the tracks removed, the long-proposed widening of this section of Fort Street will be unnecessary.

Belgium Honors Alberni Flier

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Ramsay, Alberni, that their son, Flt. Lt. David Ramsey, D.F.C., who was killed in flying operations overseas in 1944, has been posthumously awarded the Croix de Guerre with Palms by the Belgian government as a tribute to the part he played in the liberation of Belgium.

David was the eldest of three sons, all in the war and covering the three branches of the armed forces.

Maj. Peter Ramsay, now living at View Royal, was with the First Battalion of the Canadian Scottish Regiment overseas. Sub-Lt. William Ramsay served in the navy and was a corvette commander at the war's close.

In 1946 the Alberni City Council renamed Adelaide Street East, on which the Ramsay home stands, as David Street, in memory of the flier killed over Webbekom, Belgium, where he is buried with fellow crew members of the plane.

VICTORIAN SQUADRON LEADER

There was only one survivor when the Pathfinder he was the observer in was felled by a direct hit. The survivor was Squadron Leader E. W. Blenkinsop, D.F.C., Victoria, who later perished in a prisoner-of-war camp. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert W. Blenkinsop, 1035 Fairfield Road.

Ramsay, well-known in Alberni athletic circles, joined the R.C.A.F. in 1941, and passed all air force courses with flying colors. As pilot officer, he went overseas to join his brothers in 1942. The brother trio had some fine reunions on English leaves.

With No. 420 Squadron, under the experienced leadership of Sqdn. Ldr. McIntosh, D.F.C., who later in the war was promoted to wing commander, P.O. Ramsay participated in his first op against the enemy in October, 1942, which was a "hot" run to Kiel in a Wellington bomber. There followed other bombing missions over the channel until the squadron was ordered to North Africa to soften the underbelly of the Axis for an army assault in 1943.

As bombing leader, Ramsay



LATE FLT. LT. D. RAMSAY
... of Alberni.

took part in many raids on Sicilian and Italian cities and towns and for his excellence in bombing leadership was awarded the D.F.C.

BACK TO ENGLAND

In October, 1943, the squadron returned to England and after a well-earned rest in the role of an instructor in March the following year was posted to 405 Squadron, the only Canadian Pathfinder unit overseas, led by Sqdn. Ldr. Blenkinsop.

First flight was against Nuernberg that month, Ramsay an observer. Subsequent flights came quickly as the Allies pummeled Germany and Nazi-held lands from northern France to Berlin with tens of thousands of bombs until A-A fire knocked the Pathfinder out of the air to bring death to himself and all others but one.

PARKSVILLE KINSMEN

PARKSVILLE—Kinsmen, their wives and families from Campbell River to Lake Cowichan, have been invited to attend a picnic to be staged by Parksville Kinsmen at the Community Park here Sunday. A moustache-growing contest which began weeks ago, will highlight the day's special event.

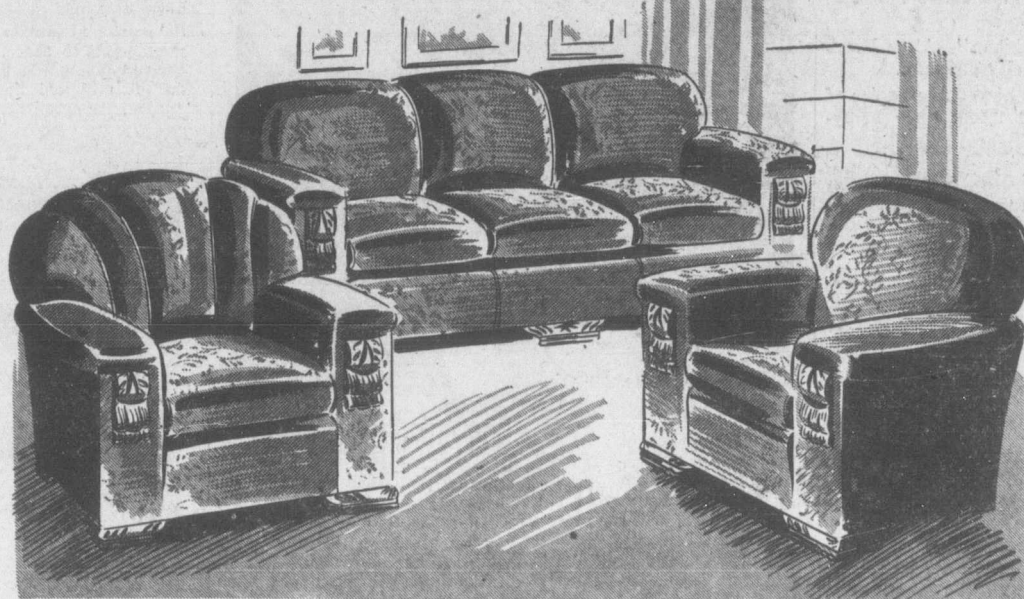
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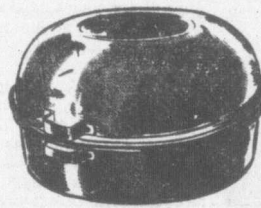
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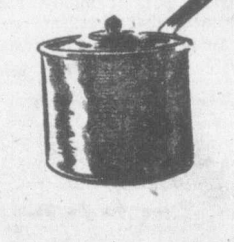
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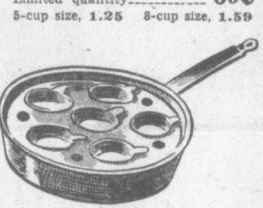
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Gold Medalers Get Together



United States winners of first-place gold medals in the Olympic Games at London examine one of the trophies. Left to right: Owen Smith, pole vault; W. S. Steele, broad jump; Mal Whitfield, 800 metres; and Roy Cochran, 400-metre hurdles.

Fleitz Scores Upset In Provincial Tennis

Hank Pfister of San Francisco was knocked out of the men's singles play of the B.C. Lawn Tennis Championships yesterday in the biggest upset of the meet. John Fleitz, 19-year-old youth from Long Beach, California, was the lad who did the trick, winning the three-set match, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3.

Fleitz won the match mainly because of his superior service and strong volleying.

Frank Fisher of Seattle, third seeded in the singles, won his way into the quarter-finals with a 6-4, 7-5 victory over Hugh Findlay of Portland. Trailing 5 to 2 in the second set, Fisher won five straight games to take the match. His margin of play was so decisive in the five games that he lost but two points to his young opponent during the string.

Connie Witt and Bill Wondra took his longest match of the

tournament in winning a three-set battle from Gladys Ross and Rupert Rickson in the mixed doubles, 1-6, 6-3, 15-13.

Another three-set match saw Mel Dranga of Seattle and Frank Sample of San Mateo defeat Bill Hoogs and Jerry John, 8-6, 3-6, 6-4, in a men's doubles match. The winning pair had previously defeated Carl Brand and Jim McArthur, 6-0, 4-4. Bill Green, a surprise winner Tuesday over Livingstone, was eliminated yesterday by Hoogs, 3-6, 6-1.

Other results follow:

C. Ross beat B. Kimbrell, 6-3, 6-3; D. Lowenbels and J. Fleitz beat J. Karlin and W. Merston, 6-2, 6-2; J. and R. Rickson beat P. Peacock and F. Roberts, 6-1, 6-3; Miss R. Kambrell and J. Livingstone beat Miss E. McDonald and J. Karlin, 6-0, 6-2; Miss L. Reid and D. Williams beat Miss Scholmeyer and J. McArthur, 6-0, 7-5; Misses Connolly and Zellmer beat Misses McDonald and Ford, 6-0, 6-1; Mr. and Mrs. Hoogs beat Miss Gore-Langton and H. Hole, 7-5, 6-3; Miss Connolly and Fleitz beat Mrs. McKee and F. Hoogs, 6-2, 6-3; Mr. and Mrs. Busch beat Miss Cowan and Milledge, 6-3, 6-2; T. Junberg and Edwards beat H. Sinclair and R. Dwyer, 6-4, 6-6, 6-4; Miss G. Ross beat Miss P. Cowan, 2-6, 6-4, 6-3.

Today's late draw follows:
4:00—J. Lowe and P. Fisher vs. T. Junberg and J. Edwards.
5:00—Miss M. Connolly and Fleitz vs. Miss P. Zellmer and Sample; Miss L. Reid and Williams vs. Miss A. McGuire and Pfister; C. Brand and J. Edwards vs. C. Jones and Dye; Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Birley vs. Misses Cowan and Reid; H. Dwyer vs. W. Brown-Cave.
6:00—Miss L. Reid vs. Miss G. Gore-Langton; C. Brand vs. L. Passmore.

HOCKEY DEAL

KANSAS CITY (CP)—Goalie Doug Jackson and Wingmen Frank Ashworth and Dick Butler of Kansas City Pla-Mors have been sold outright to Tulsa Oilers, it was announced last night. Both teams are in the United States Hockey League.

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Rainiers Sweep Two Games From Hollywood Nine

The Hayeys—starting with old Chick, the former National League batting champion—always have been able to powder that ball.

Last night it was cousin Tom Haye who stepped up for Los Angeles and drove one out of the park with the bases loaded in the ninth to break a tie and give the Angeles a 9 to 5 win over Sacramento.

What made it especially nice for Haye: Manny Salvo had walked Eddie Sauer to get at him.

San Francisco widened its lead to three games by beating San Diego, 6 to 3, while Portland toppled runner-up Oakland, 8 to 3.

Seal southpaw Will Werle twirled his 12th win, fanning seven, but needed help on the last batter from Con Dempsey.

Tommy Bridges let the Oaks down with seven hits and fanned three pitchers, including loser Earl Jones, for 13 safeties.

Seattle took two from Hollywood, 6 to 1 and 4 to 1, to regain fifth place from the Stars. Snazzy pitching by Charley Schanz and Guy Fletcher did the trick. Fletcher threw a three-hitter for his 11th victory.

San Francisco R. H. E.
Hollywood 6 13 9
San Diego 3 7 0
Portland 8 13 0
Oakland 3 7 0
First Game—
Seattle 6 8 0
Hollywood 1 7 0
Schanz and Grasso; Ardizola, Bishop (7) and Gladd.
Second—
Seattle 4 9 4
Hollywood 4 9 4
Fletcher and Grasso; Albosta, Buland (7) and Kahn.
Los Angeles 9 14 0
Sacramento 3 7 0
Carlson, Anthony (4), Lantronconi (6) and Moore; Cecil, Nagy (9), Salvo (9) and Moore.

40-Lap Main To Feature Racing At Langford Track

Saturday at Langford Speedway the fans will again watch the speed boys drive the Langford oval with the Hawkes-Foster Trophy as the big prize to the winner after 40 laps of racing. This event, staged on the first Saturday of each month, was inaugurated this year and Jack Spaulding took the coveted silverware on June 5. Don Olds came back on July 3 to win the trophy, and now both Olds, Spaulding and Digger Caldwell claim they will lift this handsome trophy Saturday night.

Many of the other drivers have different ideas and the fans are assured of a hotly contested main event. Spaulding has arranged to drive Johnny Hausmann's number 7 car, the same racer he used to win the trophy in June. Last Saturday this Seattle car made the best time in the time trials and won the Helmet Dash with Dave Cooper at the wheel. The car developed motor trouble after these two events and was out for the rest of the evening.

Boxla Tonight

Tonight's box lacrosse game at Stevenson Park will see Foul Bay oppose the Jokers, starting at 6:30. Jokers line-up follows: Andrews, McMillan, Joyce, Temple, Booth, Ellis, Walker, Ocharick, Douglas, Banks, Harding, Brown, Pellow and Stewart.

MINOR BALL CHAMPIONS
Pacific Meat Co. captured the championship of the Midget Baseball League of the Minor Baseball Association this week by defeating Tillicums, 9 to 4, in the final game.

Logue Puts A's Back In Winning Ways

Indians Take First Game Of Twin Bill; Bluejackets Lose Two To Salem

Bespectacled Frank Logue put the stopper on Spokane Indians last night in the second game of a twin bill after Spokane had won the opener for the third straight victory in the current five-game W.I.L. stand with the A's.

Logue hurried steady ball in registering his 10th win of the season as he beat the Indians, 12 to 3. In the first game, Jim Propst was charged with his fourth loss in a row when the Indians came from behind to score five runs in the fifth inning for a 7 to 3 triumph.

The A's were never headed in the second game after cousin John Orphal gave up three runs in the first inning and another in the second.

Dick Morgan clouted the ball over the centre-field fence in the second frame.

Spokane got to Logue for all their runs in the first two innings, scoring two in the first and one in the second. After the shaky start, Logue blanked the Indians for the final seven innings. He gave up eight hits along the way.

Orphal steadied down and managed to hold the A's in check until the eighth inning, when he was finally relieved by Bob Hedington. The third sacker was touched for four runs in the ninth.

FAIL TO HOLD LEAD

In the seven inning first game Victoria once again outlit

Spokane but couldn't bunch their hits effectively. Vic Buccola started the A's off on the right foot by opening with a triple and scoring on Lou Kubiak's single. The Indians tied it up in the second inning but the A's

Bremerton	67	44	.604
Tacoma	63	48	.568
VICTORIA	64	51	.557
Spokane	60	53	.531
Vancouver	54	61	.514
Salem	50	64	.439
Wenatchee	49	63	.437
Yakima	39	72	.351

again took the lead in the fifth on successive three-baggers by Propst and Buccola and Kubiak's second single.

In the bottom of the fifth,

Break Streak

FIRST GAME															
		AB	R	H	PO	A	E			AB	R	H	PO	A	E
VICTORIA															
Buccola, 1b	-----	4	2	4	9	1	0			4	0	1	0	0	0
Kubiak, 1f	-----	4	0	1	0	0	0			4	0	1	0	0	0
Palmer, 2b	-----	3	0	1	1	0	0			3	0	1	0	0	0
Wilson, cf	-----	4	0	0	3	0	0			4	0	0	3	0	0
Jensen, 3b	-----	2	0	1	0	2	0			2	0	1	0	2	0
Balassi, rf	-----	2	0	1	1	0	0			2	0	1	1	0	0
Recca, c	-----	2	0	0	4	1	0			2	0	0	4	1	0
Walseth, ss	-----	2	0	0	0	1	0			2	0	0	0	1	0
Propst, p	-----	2	1	1	0	2	0			2	1	1	0	2	0
Harmesen, p	-----	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0	0	0
*Morgan	-----	1	0	0	0	0	0			1	0	0	0	0	0
Goot, p	-----	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0	0	0

*Grounded out for harmless in 6th.

*Grounded out for Harmsen in 6th.									
SPOKANE					AB	R	H	PO	A
Vanni, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Petrilli, 1b	2	1	0	0	7	1	0	0	0
Valine, 2b	2	2	1	1	2	2	0	0	0
Wright, rf	2	2	1	1	2	2	0	0	0
Hedington, 3b	3	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Thomas, ss	3	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	0
Sanciente, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gibb, c	2	1	1	1	5	1	0	0	0
Holmes, p	0	1	0	1	1	3	0	0	0
Totals					21	7	6	20	12
Score by innings:									
Victoria					100	020	0		
Spokane					010	150	x		

Score by innings: 100 020 0-3
Spokane 010 150 X-7

Leading pitcher: Propst. Hits off: Propst, 4 and 6 runs in 7 innings; Harmsen, 2 and 1 run in 1 inning; Goot, 0 and 0 runs in 1 inning. Earned runs off: Harmsen, 3; Propst, 6; Harmsen 1; Goot 0. Struck out by: Harmsen 4; Propst 3; Harmsen 1; Goot 1. Wild pitch: Holmes. Left on bases: Spokane 3; Victoria 7. Three-base hits: Buccola 2; Propst. Two-base hits: Wright, Russ, batted in; Kubiak 2; Thomas, Hedington 2; Buccola, Vanni, Valine 2; Wright, Sacrifice: Holmes, Balassi, Wright, Palmer. Double plays: Gibb to Holmes; Hedington to Petrilli; Holmes to Thomas to Petrilli; Buccola unassisted. Time: 1:30. Umpires: Abbey and Last.

SECOND GAME									
VICTORIA					AB	R	H	PO	A
Buccola, 1b					4	0	1	8	2
Kubiak, lf					4	1	1	2	0
Palmer, 2b					4	3	1	3	5
Wilson, cf					5	3	3	3	0
Jensen, 3b					3	3	2	0	3
Balassi, rf					5	0	1	1	1
Morgan, c					5	2	3	7	0
Walseth, ss					4	0	2	1	2
Logue, p					5	0	0	2	0

Leading pitcher: Orphal. Hits off: Orphal 9 and 4 runs in 7 innings; Hedington 5 and 4 runs in 4 innings. Earned runs off: Orphal 6; Hedington 4; Logue 3. Bases on balls off: Orphal 2; Logue 4; Hedington 1. Struck out by: Orphal 8; Logue 6; Hedington 1. Hit by pitcher: Orphal by Logue; Jensen by Hedington. Wild pitch: Hedington. Left on bases: Victoria 6; Spokane 8. Home run: Morgan. Three-base hit: Jensen. Two-base hits: Jensen, Wilson, Morgan. Runs batted in: Jensen 3; Balassi 2; Valine, Thomas, Morgan 4; Wright, Walsh, Sacrifice: Jensen; Goot, Stolen bases: Vanni 2, Petrilli. Double play: Walsh to Palmer to Buccola. Time: 2:10. Umpires: Last and Abbey.

Scottish Win Senior 'C' Softball Title

Canadian Scottish softballers won the men's senior C championship last night by defeating Warner's C.Y.O., 8 to 3, in the third and deciding game of the series.

The soldiers established an enviable record during the season, winning 15 straight after losing the season's opener. In the playoff the Scots also lost the first game only to come back and take the final two for the title.

Winning pitcher was Stan Davidson. Joe Griffin was the loser. Six of the runs scored off Griffin were unearned.

J. H. & E. Take Lead In Softball Final

J. H. & E. won the first game of the women's senior B softball playoffs last night with a lopsided, 20 to 7 victory over New Method. Second game of the best three out of five series will take place tonight.

J. H. & E. scored early and often to sew up the game by the end of the third inning. They scored five runs in the first and 11 in the third. Just for good measure the winners added one in the sixth and three in the seventh.

Dot Lehman hit a home run for New Method in the seventh. Sidney Merchants tripped Golin Cafe, 4 to 3, in the second game of the best-of-three junior girls' semifinal to square the series at one game apiece. A base on balls to Brown with the bases loaded in the fifth inning scored the winning run for Sidney. Maugeurite Shaw was the losing pitcher.

Ina Salmon Heads 'Y' Swimmers At Kelowna

Though shut off from the individual championships, Victoria swimmers captured their share of honors at the annual Kelowna regatta which concluded at the B.C. interior town yesterday.

Dick Campbell, 22-year-old Seattle ace, and Jean Juniper, a 20-year-old from Spokane, stroked their respective ways to the men's and women's senior aggregate championships. Pat White-side of Vancouver and Jim Portelance of Ocean Falls won the junior girls and junior boys aggregates.

Ina Salmon placed highest of the local contingent finishing second in the women's aggregate to Miss Juniper.

Baseball School Registration

Victoria boys from 12 years and up who wish to attend the New York Yankees baseball school at Athletic Park, Aug. 23 to 25 and are unable to register at the park are asked to fill in this form and mail it to "BASEBALL SCHOOL," care of the Times sports department.

NAME _____
AGE AT LAST BIRTHDAY _____
Registrations will be accepted at Reg Patterson's office at Athletic Park daily, except Sunday, from 10 to noon, until Aug. 13.

Propst loaded the bases with only one out, and Bill Harmsen took over. George Valine greeted Harmsen with a base-clearing double and the Indians went ahead to stay.

Bremerton Bluejackets played ball with the A's by dropping a double-header to Salem Senators, 3 to 1 and 8 to 3. The result allowed the A's to gain a game on the leaders.

HITTE BEATEN

Lloyd Hittle, Bremerton's classy southpaw, was the victim in the first game to Salem's Buzz Sporer. Hal Saltzman tossed the seven-hit victory in the nightcap.

Tacoma Tigers moved to

within four games of the Bluejackets by whipping the Yakima Packers, 15 to 2. Tacoma got 13 hits from three Yakima mounds-men.

Wenatchee Chiefs used everybody but the bat boy against the Vancouver Caplanos, but all to no avail as the Caps hammered out an 18 to 3 triumph.

Short scores follow:
First game—R. H. E.
Bremerton 1 3 1
Salem 3 15 4
Simon and Volpi; Sporer and Burgher.
Second—
Bremerton 3 7 2
Salem 8 11 0
Hittle, Pirak (6), Allen (8) and Ronning; Saltzman and Samhammer.
Tacoma 15 18 1
Yakima 2 15 0
Lazor and Rossi; Strait, Freeman (4), Grisle (4) and Constantino.
Vancouver 18 20 3
Wenatchee 3 9 3
Costello and Warren; Conover, Stenham (1), Olson (3), Gardner (5), Bryant (8) and Gardner, Dalrymple.

Cards Capture Pair To Aid Dyer's Cause

An aroused St. Louis Cardinal team, concerned over the future of its manager, amiable Eddie Dyer, is out to make his position as secure as possible in the only way it knows how—winning ball games.

Persistent rumors that only a National League flag would ensure Dyer's return as St. Louis skipper next year have been gaining momentum despite denials from all concerned.

Since the nightmarish series in Brooklyn where they dropped three straight and sunk to fourth place, the Red Birds have made amazing strides. Yesterday they whipped New York Giants twice in an afternoon-night double-header, 7 to 2 and 3 to 0, to give them a string of five victories in their last six games. The twin triumph, coupled with Boston Braves' 4-2 defeat by Cincinnati

Dodgers to defeat the Cubs 5 to 4.

RED SOX BEATEN

Boston Red Sox lost a golden opportunity to take over undisputed possession of first place in the hectic pennant race in the American League when they were beaten by the lowly Browns in a night game in St. Louis, 9 to 3. Instead of going to the top by .002 of a percentage point over Cleveland, they dropped into fourth place, half a game off the pace.

Rain played havoc with the rest of the American League. The scheduled games between the New York Yankees and the Tigers at Detroit, and Philadelphia Athletics and White Sox at Chicago were postponed by rain as was the National League game between Pittsburgh Pirates and the Phillies in Philadelphia. Cleveland and Washington were not scheduled in the American League.

NATIONAL LEAGUE	
Boston	56 42 .571
St. Louis	51 45 .531
Brooklyn	49 44 .527
New York	50 46 .521
Pittsburgh	46 45 .505
Philadelphia	48 49 .495
Cincinnati	44 55 .444
Chicago	40 58 .408

AMERICAN LEAGUE	
Cleveland	56 38 .596
New York	57 39 .594
Philadelphia	59 41 .590
Boston	58 41 .586
Detroit	46 50 .497
Washington	41 56 .423
St. Louis	37 57 .394
Chicago	32 64 .333

Reds, advanced the Cards into second place, only four lengths back of Boston.

The Giants, who now have lost three straight following their seven-game winning streak, skidded from second to fourth place, half a game behind Brooklyn Dodgers and one full game back of the Cards.

Red Munger and Harry (The Cat) Brecheen of the Cards each went the route yesterday to rack up their fifth and 12 victories, respectively. Brecheen allowed only two hits in scoring the shut-out win.

Danny Litwhiler, a former Brave, gained revenge on his former mates, knocking in the winning runs with a two-run homer for the Reds. It was the Braves' fourth straight defeat, three at the hands of the Reds.

Bruce Edwards' single with two out in the last of the ninth scored Gene Hermanski from second with the run that enabled the

NATIONAL LEAGUE	
Cincinnati	R. H. E.
Boston	4 9 9
Raffensberger, Gumbert (9) and Lamm; Volselle, Barrett (9) and Masi.	2 7 0
First Game—	
St. Louis	7 10 1
New York	2 10 0
Munger and Baker; Jones, Konikowsky (7), Trinkle (8) and Cooper, Westrum (9).	
Second—	
St. Louis	3 6 0
New York	0 2 0
Brecheen and Rice; Jensen and Livingston.	
Chicago	8 10 0
Brooklyn	5 10 0
Meyer, McCall (1), Doberner (6) and Scheffner; Valters, Behr	

Third day's play Wednesday in the Greater Victoria Lawn Bowling Association tournament saw play open in the doubles competition. Playing for the F. S. Martin Cup, symbolic of the men's title, are 16 sections, W. Gibson of Lake Hill, 15 to 11. Other players to place in the semis are P. T. Masterman, West Vancouver, who downed T. Moorcroft of Stanley Park by a 15 to 13 count, and Scot Keenlyside of Terminal, who won by default.

Three couples, so far, have made a clean sweep in four games played, to lead their respective sections. However, the majority of pairs have completed two and three matches. The four-game winners are: Walker and Roylance, Grandview; Cole and Moorcroft, Stanley Park, and Slade and Hiquebran of Victoria West. Further games were being played today in this event, with section winners meeting at Beacon Hill this evening.

Semifinals of the Fort Garry men's rinks competition were run off at Beacon Hill last night. The Kerrisdale rink skipped by W. G. Stephens took a 20 to 11 decision from J. F. Bremner's West Point Grey team, in one half of the bracket. In the other half, J. Gavin's rink from North Vancouver, eliminated the Nanaimo foursome of J. Sutherland by a narrow 17-16 score. Final of this event will likely be held Saturday morning.

Keen interest is being shown in the men's singles struggle which continued at Beacon Hill last night. R. L. Elliott, North Vancouver, meets A. Gavin of Grandview for the right to enter the semifinals. Sam Barr, only local member left in the running, reached the semifinals by edging

W. Gibson of Lake Hill, 15 to 11. Other players to place in the semis are P. T. Masterman, West Vancouver, who downed T. Moorcroft of Stanley Park by a 15 to 13 count, and Scot Keenlyside of Terminal, who won by default from his clubmate, Peter Sharpe. The semifinals are slated for tonight at Beacon-Hill, with a possibility the final will also be played.

Sixty-three pairs commenced doubles play in the women's division at Canadian Pacific green yesterday, for the W. and J. W. Sen Cup. Of the 16 couples to reach the third round, seven are from local clubs. Last year's champion, Miss McCready of North Vancouver, is teamed with Miss Hughes, another Vancouverite, and is still in the running. Further rounds were being played today and finals should be reached tonight.

All five of the local clubs will be busy tomorrow with the mixed rinks competition scheduled to start at 9 in the morning. Sixteen sections will participate in this event.

Fifth leg of the H. A. Humber and Colonist season-long trap trophy competitions will feature the shoot to be held by the Victoria Gun Club at the Albert Head Road skeet and trap ranges Sunday, starting at 1.

The public is invited to attend and shoot. Visitors will find ammunition and guns available.

VANCOUVER (CP)—Ontario winners of their first three starts, will be out to make it four straight today when they meet Manitoba in the Canadian cricket championship tournament here. British Columbia, with only one loss, will face Alberta.

In gaining their third victory, Ontario yesterday scored 168 runs, then dismissed the previously-unbeaten British Columbia eleven for 103. Alberta broke into the win-column by handing Manitoba its third straight loss, 187 runs to 122.

A costly miscue by Pete Hobson of B.C. on Jim Cameron's opening hit to mid-off, enabled Cameron to continue and finally run up a solid 40 runs before being bowled by Noe Buckley. Steady batting by Alan Percival (21) and Lou Gunn (17) contributed to the easterns' total, which stood at 100 for only four wickets when stumps were drawn at lunch. However, the lower portion of Ontario's batting list failed to cope with the B.C. bowling aggregation.

Buckley's four wickets for 26 runs and Capt. Bill Hendy's three for 37 were best for B.C. bowlers.

GOOD START

B.C. started out well in their innings, totalling 60 runs for the loss of only one wicket on stylish batting by Buckley and Eric Henley, but a change in bowling brought about a B.C. collapse.

Henley was bowled for 37 and Buckley was caught out by Alan Forbes after having run off 22 runs. Later batsmen were dismissed without any reaching the double figures.

Les Stroud bowled smartly to take six wickets for 40 runs, while Cameron, who came into bowl with Stroud after B.C.'s opening splurge, took four wickets for 26 runs.

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Play in the mixed rinks competition of the Greater Victoria Lawn Bowling Association tournament will open tomorrow morning.

The sections and playing sched-

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VANCOUVER — Racing returned to Hastings Park yesterday with a fast track marking the opening of the 28-day meet.

A good crowd received an early thrill when a pair of medium long-shots in the first two heats joined forces to return a daily double of \$112.50.

Todd Girls Gain Semifinals In B.C. Golf Play

Jockey ohhny Nowell rode the six-year-old Kelowna Belle to victory in the first race to pay \$15.40 and Paul Bailey was up in the second half of the combination on 'Uncle Ol' for a return of \$3.80. In the featured \$1,200 Victoria Handicap, Kinsail moved into an early lead and Jockey Nooffsinger held her there, to pay \$14.65, \$4.25 and \$2.50. Gwynfryd was second with World Wide third.

VANCOUVER—Mrs. Margaret Todd and Marjorie Todd, Victoria's two well-known golfers, advanced to the semifinals of the British Columbia women's championship here Wednesday. Drawn in opposite brackets there is a chance they will meet for the provincial crown.

Mrs. Todd gained the last four by defeating Mrs. Phil Godden,

Vancouver city champion and this year's medalist, Rena O'Callaghan, snowed under Mrs. McIlraith, Vancouver, 6 and 5, and Helen Cleat upset Babs Davies 3 and 2.

In today's semis Mrs. Todd plays Miss Cleat while Mrs. Todd battles Mrs. O'Callaghan.

A twilight mixed foursome will be played at the Uplands Golf Club tonight. Draw and starting times follow:

LIST THE

5.30—Mrs. W. Erickson and Roy Strands;
Miss Daphne Murray and Dan McLean.

5.35—Mrs. R. Powell and George Austin
and Mrs. J. G. Gars.

5.40—Miss M. Young and R. W. Pures;
Mrs. R. Pures and J. G. Thomson.

5.45—Mrs. J. S. Silburn and George
Pattinson; Mrs. R. L. Peacock and L. A.
Pattinson.

5.50—Miss V. Wiley and Don Gowan;
Miss Diane Percival and Frank Scroggs.

THE

5.30—Mrs. and Mrs. E. E. Peden; Mrs.
J. Hope and G. Silburn.

5.35—Miss M. Conibear and A. Leeming;
Mrs. J. M. Silburn and G. Gars.

5.40—Mrs. A. Horsford and G. C. Briscoe;
Mrs. F. B. Shore and R. Nicklin.

5.45—Mrs. J. S. Silburn and G. Hope;
Mrs. J. R. Ribberson and W. Werthner.

5.50—Mrs. J. S. Silburn and G. Gars;
Mrs. Riddle and A. N. Other.

LONDON, Ont. (CP) — A. A. Langford, secretary of district No. 2 of the Ontario Lawn Bowling Association, announced today that British Columbia lawn bowlers would not tour Ontario this year. He said the British Columbian have asked that their tour of Ontario be postponed to 1949.

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EAGH! WAIT UNTIL THE LAST ACT BEFORE YOU CONDEMN THE SHOW! A FEW DAYS MORE AND VOLCANO WILL BE READY TO RIDE!

BY THE WAY, ZEKE, MAY I TAKE A BACKBOARD TO TOWN TOMORROW -- HAVE TO MAKE A FEW PURCHASES ~~~ HAK-KAFF.

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SURE, MATOR -- GAUZE AND LINIMENT?

AND MAYBE A BUCKET OF GLUE?

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LOOK, SAMPSON!
I TAUGHT BINGO
TO WHISTLE!

OH FOR
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LET'S TEACH
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As our plane
circled the
airport, un-
able to land
because of
faulty re-
tracting gear,
Taffy was
having fits.

I CAN'T STAND MUCH MORE
OF THIS. THEY'LL RUN OUT OF GAS
SOON AND THE PILOT WILL
HAVE TO CRASH-LAND!

PICK ME
THE WAIT
MESSAGE
INFO

LET'S TRY THE OTHER SIDE OF THE LAKE, DUO!

YEAH! MAYBE THE GIRLS FOUND A BETTER SPOT FOR THE TRAILER OVER THERE!

OFFICE

HELLO! ANYTHING I CAN DO FOR YOU BOYS?

WERE LOOKING FOR A TRAILER

8-5

AL

YOU HAVE ONE MORE CHANCE TO FIND BETSY, THEN I'LL HAVE TO NOTIFY THE AUTHORITIES!

WELL, TH' FOOD HERE BEIN' WHAT IT IS, I GUESS I MIGHT AS WELL CHECK OUT...

...BUT BEFORE I GO SEE WHO'S GOT MY AX, T' HED WE ANDER LOOK AT MY SPHINK...

UNHEALTHY!

VERY GOOD LAST NIGHT IN TH' DARK!

9-5

6-5

UP AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE RECORDING ROOM, I'LL LEAVE A FOR VIC FLINT AT THE INFORMATION DESK.

THERE GOES TAFFY TILSON NOW, COOGLA. LOOK AT HER PUSH THAT CANDY-BOX! SHE MUST BE LATE.

SHE WHEEL BE LATE GETTING HOME TOO, SENOR JUKE—
VERY LATE!

WELL, THERE ARE SEVERAL OF 'EM HERE!

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OHAY! BOO-OOTS!

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 1.30.00 55.30 32.50
 2.30.00 (Coppernoll) — 4.20 2.80
 3.30.00 (Noffinger) — 3.10
 4.30.00 Also ran: Sun, Madras
 5.30.00 Knecht, Jazzing Jean, Pail, Caprice
 6.30.00
 Daily double \$112.50.
 Third Race—
 1.30.00 (Johnson) — \$5.50 \$3.25 \$3.87
 2.30.00 (Robertson) — 3.53 2.40
 3.30.00 — Bailey — 2.50 1.70
 4.30.00 Time: 1:18 4-5. Also ran: Golden Don,
 Bonnie Park, Alice Brub, Scarlet Horse,
 Weaver, Motor Boy.
 Fourth Race—
 1.30.00 (Moncrief) — \$6.10 \$7.40 \$2.60
 2.30.00 (Johnson) — — 3.20 2.40
 3.30.00 (Gomes) — 2.65
 4.30.00 Time: 1:17 5. Also ran: Lamouche,
 Forthfield, Nupper Tanager, Hyvak, Mark.
 Fifth Race—
 1.30.00 (Noffinger) — \$9.00 \$4.30 \$5.10
 2.30.00 (Valley) — — 5.60 3.40
 3.30.00 (Goldie) — 3.00
 4.30.00 Time: 1:17 5. Also ran: Dianaher, Baby
 Emblem, Sunbox, Linger Longer, Fire
 Drive, Sobriquet.
 Sixth Race—
 1.30.00 (Martin) — \$5.10 \$3.85 \$2.90
 2.30.00 (Rowell) — 3.50 2.47
 3.30.00 (Johnson) — 3.10
 4.30.00 Time: 1:17 5. Also ran: Gals, Mike
 Fire Engine, Admiral Felt, Lord Phebe.
 Seventh Race—
 1.30.00 (Noffinger) — \$14.65 \$8.25 \$7.50
 2.30.00 (Johnson) — 4.45 2.40
 3.30.00 (Coppernoll) — 3.45 2.40
 4.30.00 Time: 1:17 5. Also ran: Loose Talk,
 Alerno, Winchfield.
 Eighth Race—
 1.30.00 (Smith) — \$21.05 \$7.15 \$5.40
 2.30.00 (Smith) — 4.40 2.40
 3.30.00 (Barnes) — 3.10
 4.30.00 Time: 1:17 5. Also ran: Dannya Girl, Miss Betty B,
 Rubylyn, Red Rauch, Run Gal Run, Anello
 Quinella \$78.60.

TIDES

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...	0:59	8.9	10:12	11.0	10:28	11.7	11:00	12.0
...	1:48	8.5	10:26	11.2	10:42	12.0	11:29	12.5
...	2:06	8.7	10:41	11.5	10:56	12.4	11:43	13.3
...	2:24	8.9	10:56	11.8	11:10	12.7	11:58	13.6
...	2:42	9.1	11:11	12.1	11:25	13.0	12:12	13.9
...	3:00	9.3	11:26	12.4	11:40	13.3	12:27	14.2
...	3:18	9.5	11:41	12.7	11:55	13.6	12:42	14.5
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...	5:42	11.1	13:41	15.1	13:55	16.0	14:42	16.9
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Tourist Business Still Booming In Spite Of Decrease Last Month

Victoria continues to be one of the leading tourist centres on the continent.

In spite of the fact that a decrease in the number of American automobiles entering the city last month of approximately 11 per cent from the number coming during July, 1947, cars from every state in the union except Tennessee were noted by customs and immigration men.

Ten cars from Hawaii, one from Mexico, two from Alaska and one from Panama verified the continuance of the city's attraction for tourists.

Figures compiled by the Customs Department here show that 8,308 cars bearing non-Canadian license plates passed through this port last month.

A total of 24,887 passengers were in the cars. A year ago, 9,301 cars with 26,553 passengers were noted in July.

MORE CANADIANS

An increase of approximately 10 per cent in the number of Canadian cars in Victoria last month was recorded. A total of 1,222 automobiles with 3,870 passengers were handled as compared with 1,108 cars and 3,397 during the same month last year.

INCREASE OVER 1947

Cumulative figures for the first seven months show a slight increase during the current year over 1947. So far in 1948, 18,382 cars carrying 51,603 passengers departed here. From January 1 to July 31, 1947, there were

18,326 cars and 50,393 passengers.

Reason for the decline in the number of tourists during July this year is attributed partially to the wariness of visitors south of the line in coming north following reports of the devastating effect of the mainland floods.

George Paulin, Black Ball Ferry agent, states that there was a decrease of more than 500 cars in the weekly average number carried by the Mv. Chinook in the second week in July, but this was because people did their traveling on the July 4 week-end, and stayed home after that.

"The 500-car decrease only amounts to a couple of days' business for us, in any case," said Mr. Paulin. "We can easily make that up with a spell of good weather."

"The Empress Hotel continues to be solidly booked, with smaller hotels in the city reported to be turning people away after every boat arrival.

Expect Ship To Be Operating Tonight

Ss. Princess Joan, which sustained a damaged port propeller in the Inner Harbor early Wednesday morning, is expected to be running on schedule tonight, it was learned from Capt. O. J. Williams, manager of the B.C. Coast Service.

Capt. Williams said Esquimalt shipyard workers had repaired the damage and were now reassembling the shaft and propeller. The ship entered drydock yesterday afternoon.

Films At Park

Films to be presented this evening at the Beacon Hill Park bandshell by the Greater Victoria Film Council, weather permitting, include: "Eyewitness," a National Film Board feature; "A Man, a Dog and a Gun," depicting hunting; "Rocky Mountain Trout," fishing in the Rockies; "Salt from the Earth," showing salt mining methods; "Tolerance," a racial short depicting various races populating Canada; "Eskimo Arts and Crafts," picturing habits of the natives of Baffinland; and "River Watch," dealing with lights and buoys maintenance on the St. Lawrence River.

Fines of \$15, in default three days, were imposed by Deputy Magistrate Patrick J. Sinnott in city police court this morning on two motorists who pleaded guilty to charges of speeding. Another driver was fined \$5 for going the wrong way in a one-way street.

Accidental Death Is Verdict In Drowning Tragedy

A verdict of accidental death was returned by a coroner's jury at Thompson's Funeral Home today on the drowning of 17-year-old Raymond Henderson at Prospect Lake last Saturday.

The jury added a rider to the verdict recommending that swimming instruction in city schools be made compulsory.

Frederick Henderson, father, testified that his son could not swim a few strokes but could not be considered a swimmer.

Fourteen-year-old Alan Davies, who was rowing the boat to which Henderson was clinging at the time of the accident, said that there was no warning when the latter lost his hold. Davies dived in but succeeded only in grasping Henderson's hair for a moment.

Davies told the jury that his arms felt the strain while Henderson was towing him behind the boat a few minutes before the accident.

Henderson had been clinging to the stern of the boat for about 15 minutes before losing his grip, the boy said.

Sgt. Cecil Pearce of the Saanich Police Dept. said the body, which was recovered on Tuesday, was in 35 feet of water. There were no weeds on the surface which might have dragged Henderson down.

The jury commended the efforts of young Davies and of the Saanich police and fire departments. Jury members were: Sidney Sangster, foreman; Walter Dawe, Gordon A. Campbell, Jack Lacterman, John A. Pratt and George E. Parker.

Boat Capsizes In Cadboro Bay

One boat capsized at Cadboro Bay Wednesday during sailing classes organized by the Royal Victoria Yacht Club for juniors and inexperienced seniors in sailing.

The crew, however, missed getting a ducking by jumping onto the centre board of the small boat and flipping her up again. The course patrol boat picked up the boat which lost most of its gear.

The inexperienced crews, coached by instructors, took part in two races over a four-mile course. The wind was high and the boats did good time.

Humphrey Golby was officer of the day. Next week those seeking training in the art of sailing will be taught the rules of the sea. Hunter Vogel will be officer of the day.

City police today are following a lead to establish the identity of a young motorcyclist who Wednesday evening smashed into a popcorn wagon at the corner of Douglas and Belleville Streets.



ODORIFEROUS HARBOR—Victorians and visitors alike coughed and sneezed as the tide rolled out this morning, leaving exposed the muddy bottom of the Inner Harbor. The odor was especially high at low tide at 10. Delicate nostrils suffered most from the smell arising from the muddy bottom, which has been the subject of much discussion since the Causeway was built in 1904. Some have suggested the construction of a retaining wall around the Causeway and dredging the remainder of the harbor. The retaining wall could be used as a dock for smaller vessels. The main objection to this plan is that the harbor is small enough as it is now and such a project would destroy the beauty of the Inner Harbor.

Mayor Names Committee For City Hall Alteration Plan

Mayor Percy George today announced the names of aldermen he will recommend to City Council for appointment as members of a special committee to deal with plans for the proposed renovation and extension of City Hall for which a by-law will probably be presented to voters in the December civic elections.

The aldermen he is recommending for appointment are D. D. McTavish, M. A. Kent, Ed. Williams and F. N. Cabeldu.

The council recommended that Mayor George select a special committee following his request July 19 to the council for consideration of renovation and extension of the City Hall.

At that time the mayor recommended that the main entrance

to City Hall be switched to Pandora Avenue, and that the Douglas Street frontage be converted into stores. He also asked for alterations and additions from the west, utilizing the present vacant property on that side of the City Hall.

Such a move has been made necessary to provide proper facilities for increasing work connected with civic administration, he said, and to overcome the "dead" area created by City Hall on Douglas Street which he regarded as one of the city's most important business thoroughfares.

At the same time, Mayor George asked for early action on the matter so that a by-law could be placed before the ratepayers in the December elections.

Songhees Chief Makes Denial Sale Of Lands Considered

Denial of reports that negotiations are under way for the sale of all or a portion of the Songhees Indian Reserve for a race track and fairgrounds or for industrial use was made today by Chief Percy B. Ross of the Songhees tribe.

"There is absolutely no truth in the report," Chief Ross said. He said that about two months ago he was asked by the B.C. Agriculture Association if the Songhees Indians would consider selling all or part of their reserve.

MATTER DROPPED
"I said 'no' and the matter was dropped. That's where this false story originated, I expect," Chief Ross said.

He said the tribe has not had any offer. "We're not interested in selling or moving," he said.

The chief was angry also over a report that he said the 80 members of his tribe would refuse to sell a portion of the reserve and that they would sell it as one piece for a price of \$600,000.

WORTH \$1,000,000
"I don't know where that statement came from," he said. "Why, our land is worth \$1,000,000, maybe more, and we still have no intention of selling."

The tribe moved to the Esquimalt reserve in 1912 from the present industrial reserve and compensation of \$10,000 was paid to the head of each family. The former reserve was considered too close to the city, and also was wanted for industrial development.

Naden Band Returns To Victoria Base
The Royal Canadian Navy Naden Band is scheduled to return to its Esquimalt base today following a tour of 25 major western Canadian cities between Vancouver and Winnipeg, it was learned from navy headquarters today.

The band is composed of 31 players under the direction of Lt. Cmdr. (SB) Harry G. Cuthbert, R.C.N.

Among the cities the Naden band visited were Edmonton, Regina, Calgary, Brandon, Moose Jaw and others. They also played at the Calgary stampede and were guests at many receptions.

The band returned to participate in the Navy Week celebrations from Aug. 7 to 14.

Port Alberni Estate Willed To Solarium
The Queen Alexandra Solarium for Crippled Children will benefit by several thousand dollars through the will of the late Edward Field of Port Alberni.

Mr. Field, a carpenter who suffered from infantile paralysis in his youth, died last May and willed the Solarium his estate, which consists of several pieces of property in the Alberni area.

It is believed the property may bring between \$10,000 and \$12,000.

Four Victoria Firms Among 20 Registered In Week Ending Today

Four Victoria companies were among 20 registered at the Parliament Buildings in the week ending today.

They are: Androp Baiting Machine Co. Ltd., with a \$60,000 capital, and offices at 1405 Douglas Street; Filmye Automobile Co. Ltd., 10,000 shares, no par value, 410 Central Building; Tip Top Auto Sales Ltd., \$20,000, 1115 Langley Street; Victoria Auto Sales Ltd., \$10,000, 2345 Douglas Street.

Two other Vancouver Island companies are listed. They are the Cowichan Bay Sawmills Ltd., with a capital of \$10,000 and offices at Koksilah and Chow Bros. Ltd., \$10,000, Duncan.

Registered from Vancouver: Rokorol (Western) Ltd., \$10,000; Grandview Planer Mill Ltd., \$10,000; Tidewater Lumber Co. Ltd., \$100,000; Kohnke Brothers Ltd., \$20,000; O. J. Garner Logging Co. Ltd., \$50,000; Johnson and Associates Ltd., \$15,000; Vancouver Steel Co. Ltd., \$200,000; Blue Treasure Co. Ltd., \$10,000; Abba Gold Valley Dredging Co. Ltd., \$50,000; Goose Creek Cattle Co. Ltd., \$25,000.

Registered from elsewhere: Le Roy Appliance Co. Ltd., \$25,000; Perfection; Surrey Leader Ltd., \$25,000; Cloverdale; J. Lee Dress Shop Ltd., \$35,000; New Westminster; Carine Lumber Co. Ltd., \$75,000; Prince George.

There were seven registrations in the week under the Societies Act. They include: Princeton Canadian Legion Association; Wilmer Community Hall; Riske Creek Livestock Association; Haneyville; Nicomen Island Women's Institute; Deroche; Prince George and District Joint Labor Council; The Montiflore Club, Vancouver; Oasis Recreational Society, Oasis.

Local Units Going To Port Angeles

Victoria will be well represented this year at the Port Angeles "Derby Week" celebrations to be held from August 30 to Sept. 5.

The Victoria Girls' Drill Team, the Greater Victoria Youth Band and the pipe band of the Canadian Scottish Regiment will have featured positions in the "Derby Parade" set for Sept. 3.

Arrangements for the three local units to participate in the Washington city's festival have been arranged here through Norman Foster of the Chamber of Commerce.

The Victoria contingent will be over 100 strong, Mr. Foster said today.

Post Office Wickets To Close Earlier

Stamp and registration wickets at the Post Office which have been open until 7 in the evening will close at 6.30 after Monday, Aug. 9, according to postal officials today.

A permit for erection of a \$1,600 Sunday school at Belmont United Church, Belmont Avenue, was the largest of three building permits issued by the city building inspector's office this morning for construction worth a total of \$3,050. Largest of the other two permits was for a \$1,200 warehouse at 1015 Dunsuir Street.

Believe Sales Tax Will Bring More Than \$12,000,000

Possibility that sales tax collections will exceed the original estimate of \$12,000,000 annually is foreseen in government circles.

One official said he believes the revenue from the sales tax definitely will be more than was expected at first. Others think it will exceed the \$12,000,000 figure "by staggering amounts."

It was explained that the \$12,000,000 estimate was arrived at last year by retail trade figures compiled by the Dominion when the price level was 10 to 15 per cent lower than it is now.

Costs, of course, are higher, but the price level increase still means a higher percentage of revenue, it was stated.

It is impossible to foretell what capital expenditures will amount to, but there are encour-

aging indications that additional large industries in the province will swell the revenue from the tax by substantial amounts.

The sales tax branch of the finance department will not receive first returns from B.C. retailers until Sept. 1 and Lloyd Detwiler, tax commissioner, said today he has no idea what the collections will amount to in the two months since the tax was first imposed July 1.

He did say, however, that between \$500 and \$600 a day is being received from taxes on sales of used cars and on mail order purchases.

The feeling that the \$12,000,000 estimate is low will be welcomed by the municipalities of the province which will receive one-third of the tax collections. The remaining two-thirds is to be used for social welfare work.

Suspend Beer License Of Vancouver Hotel

Liquor Commissioner W. F. Kennedy said today the license of the Columbia hotel at Vancouver has been suspended for an indefinite period.

Reason for the suspension was not given, but it is understood bookmaking activities on the premises are the cause.

Other beer licences have been lifted in the past for this reason. Mr. Kennedy said warnings are given first, and if the activities continue "we don't argue with them."

"Bookmaking anywhere is against the law, of course, and when it occurs on licensed premises we have the power to take action by suspending the licence for sale of beer," Mr. Kennedy said.

In Collision On Way To Waterfront Fire

Like many other Victorians, Robert McAllister, 405 Michigan Street, could not resist leaving what he was doing and heading for the fire when he saw smoke rising from the James Bay waterfront area Wednesday night.

Taking his car, he got only to Michigan and Oswego Streets, a little more than a block away from his home, before finding himself involved in a collision with a car driven by Andrew Ireland, 325 Simcoe Street.

The McAllister car struck the Ireland car on the right, rear fender, city police report. Damage was estimated to be about \$175.

Airpark Question Again Before Saanich Council

Pro-airpark members of the Saanich Council have succeeded in passing first and second readings of a zoning by-law amendment to rezone Gordon Head property for the erection of a memorial airpark.

Voting on the question took place near the end of the Saanich Council meeting which started Tuesday night and ended up after midnight.

Motion passed four to two. Approving were Councillors W. C. Kersey, George Rudd, Thomas Alexander and L. Passmore. Opposing were Reeve E. C. Warren and Councillor K. R. Genn.

Final reading will be taken at a future meeting of the council. Missing from the meeting when the vote was taken were Councillors J. L. Hobbs and E. C. Cummins, both of whom previously opposed the airpark plan.

A full council at the next meeting may again result in a 4 to 4 deadlock vote, a situation which has arisen on several occasions to bring things to a standstill.

The amendment is to have property rezoned to allow construction of a Class I airport to handle light aircraft.

Application for an injunction to stay work being done on the proposed site was rejected by Mr. Justice A. D. Macfarlane in handing down judgment in the case last week.

Funeral Notice

The funeral of the late Comrade Samuel Campbell, 48th Battalion, will take place Friday afternoon, August 6, at 3 p.m., from McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel.

Members of Britannia Branch No. 7, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., and Ladies' Auxiliary are requested to attend.

J. A. LAW-BEATIE, Secretary.

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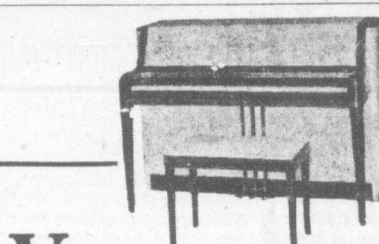
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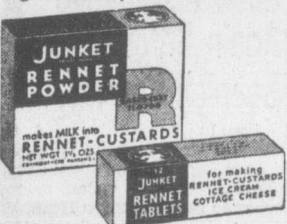
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Council Discusses Ways Of Preventing Drowning Accidents

Ways and means of preventing drowning accidents off the beaches of Oak Bay were discussed by members of the Municipal Council at their meeting Wednesday night.

Acting Reeve J. V. Johnson expressed the opinion that something should be done to prevent drowning accidents like the one which occurred last Saturday in Prospect Lake. He was referring to Raymond Henderson, aged 18, 2701 Belmont Avenue, a non-swimmer.

"Couldn't we place signs warning the public of the danger of swimming in certain areas?" asked Mr. Johnson.

The majority of the council thought it was a matter of control by parents.

It was pointed out that a seven-year-old boy was seen in a row boat with other youngsters around the lighthouse off Willows Beach. The youngsters couldn't swim.

The council felt that it would be impossible to patrol the whole shore line of the municipality unless lifeguards were employed.

Councillor W. G. Ellis felt that parents should take steps to teach their children to swim as a safeguard against accidents.

The council at the same time referred to the police commission the matter of placing safety signs in school zones.

Oak Bay Receives Utilities Letter

The Public Utilities Commission in a letter advised Oak Bay Council at its meeting last night to prepare as soon as possible all matters which the municipality wishes to have considered with regard to bus rates at the forthcoming hearings of the Commission.

It was anticipated that the matters to be dealt with at the hearings will fall into the following categories:

1. New applications for rate and fare alterations.
2. Review of the interim orders now in force for the gas and transportation services.
3. Representations with respect to any rate or rates which interested parties may consider to be unduly preferential or discriminatory.
4. Representations with respect to areas served in which interested parties consider there should be special consideration.

Reports Employees Not Idle In Winter

While discussing bids for painting the municipal hall, Councillor C. C. Annett at a meeting of Oak Bay Council Wednesday night suggested that employees paint the hall during idle hours in the winter months.

Shaking his head, A. S. G. Musgrave, municipal engineer replied: "They have no idle hours."

Six bids were submitted by contractors for painting the interior of the building. The matter was referred to the finance committee.

Woman Attendant To Police Willows Park

A woman attendant has been employed to police the Willows Park, Oak Bay Council was informed at a meeting Wednesday night. She will be employed for a period of one month.

The council authorized the employment of a woman attendant as the result of complaints regarding the unsanitary condition of the Willow's Park women's dressing room.

Chosen As Delegate

Reeve R. A. Wootton or his delegate was chosen at Wednesday's meeting of Oak Bay Council to represent the municipality at meetings of the Industrial Development Committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

Votes \$50 For Picnic Of Oak Bay Employees

A sum of \$50 was voted by Oak Bay Council towards the annual picnic of the Municipal Employees' Association. The picnic is being held on Aug. 21 at the Beaver Lake picnic grounds. Transportation will leave the municipal yard at 10.30.

Oak Bay Clerks Resign

Oak Bay Council Wednesday night accepted the resignations of two municipal employees—J. M. Wright and Robert T. Obee, assistant accountant. Mr. Wright is returning to England, while Mr. Obee has accepted a position as income tax auditor for the Dominion government.

Uncle Ray

MOST INDIAN MOUNDS ARE IN FOUR RIVER VALLEYS

When I was about 10 years old, I made a trip to visit some Indian friends. The Indians were camping on the shore of a Wisconsin lake. As I was passing through a small forest, what was my surprise when I came upon a great mound of earth in the shape of a man.

Grass was growing over the mound, which was about 80 feet long and four feet high. I had heard a little about Mound Builders, but never before had seen an Indian mound.

Indian mounds in the shape of people are rare. Far more common are mounds in the shape of animals.

Canada has some Indian mounds (chiefly in southern Ontario) but most of them exist in the United States. The mounds in the United States are to be seen from Texas to the state of New York, and from the Dakotas to Florida. The majority of the Mound Builders lived in the valley of four rivers—the Mississippi, the Missouri, the Wisconsin and the Ohio. Ohio and Wisconsin have more mounds than any other states.

What was the purpose of the mounds? They were put up for two main reasons—for burial and to represent the totems of certain groups of Indians.

Some persons have supposed that the mounds were built by people who differed greatly from Indians. The modern view, however, is that the Mound Builders were ancestors of some of the Indian tribes found by early white settlers on this continent. De Soto, the Spanish explorer, learned that the Creek and Chickasaw tribes were in the custom of burying their dead under mounds. Later explorers made reports of the same kind, but in general the mound-building had been given up by the time Columbus crossed the Atlantic. It seems likely that few of the mounds date back more than 1,000 years or less than 400 years.

By digging into, or under, some of the mounds, men of science have located many objects which were used by Mound Builders. These include bone hooks which must have been used for fighting, but which are without barbs. Skeletons have been found under hundreds of mounds, but seldom under those in the shape of animals.

Birds have a pulse rate nearly double the human rate. They have body temperatures five or 14 degrees above man's.

The DOCTOR Says:

POISON IVY IS TRICKY IRRITANT; PREVENTION IS THE BEST POLICY

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.

Thousands of people develop a blistery irritation of the skin every year either through pure carelessness or because they do not know enough to recognize poison ivy when they see it. It has been estimated that 350,000 people get into trouble with poison ivy each year.

Poison ivy grows only in North America from Canada to Mexico. It is entirely absent from other parts of the world. There is no poison ivy season, as the stalk is dangerous in winter even when leaves are not growing. In summer, however, more people are out of doors and hence more likely to be exposed to this poisonous skin irritant.

LEARN TO SPOT IT

Everyone should learn to recognize the three-pointed leaves of poison ivy. Much of the trouble

comes from failure to recognize it. Some people are more sensitive to the poisoning than others, but anyone may fall a victim. Some people boast that they never get poison ivy. Sooner or later, if they continue to expose themselves, they usually regret this boast. It is well known that people who have seemed safe for years may come down when they least expect it.

On the other hand, a few people are extremely sensitive to poison ivy and can develop symptoms even if they stand in the smoke from a fire in which poison ivy is being burned. This is because the smoke particles carry tiny droplets of the oil from poison ivy.

There is no sure quick cure for ivy poisoning. Several preparations for the skin are helpful and there are some extracts from poison ivy which seem to be helpful in prevention and in some cases in treatment. However, doctors are in some disagreement on the value of this treatment.

The best policy to follow is to avoid ivy plants. If a person comes in contact with a plant and knows it, thorough washing with soap and water two or three times should be carried out followed by rinsing carefully after each wash. Many cases are serious enough to require a doctor's advice.

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'Copacabana' Title Valuable In Movie

How much money is a great title worth to a picture?

Sam Coslow, producer of the musical film, "Copacabana," says that title is worth a million dollars. Because of the tremendous publicity Monte Proser's famed New York Copacabana Club has had, Coslow calculates that this title is as well known to movie-

goers as a best-selling novel or a hit play.

A new comedy combination—that of the inimitable Groucho Marx and the vivacious Brazilian comedienne, Carmen Miranda—makes its bow in "Copacabana," showing at the York Theatre.

ATLAS THEATRE

In one important scene of "Escape Me Never," now at the Atlas Theatre, a group of pigeons were supposed to stroll back and forth in front of co-stars Eleanor Parker and Gig Young as part of a romantic sequence. When the property man released the pigeons, they refused to stroll and insisted on flying.

The property man complained to the pigeons' owner. "Oh," said the pigeon man, "I didn't know you wanted foreground pigeons, they're a different kind."

ODEON THEATRE

"Northwest Stampede," the current attraction now playing at the Odeon Theatre which was filmed in Alberta, shows scenes of Canada's wonder vacation land, Banff, Lake Louise and the Canadian Rockies, all in beautiful color. "Northwest Stampede" stars Joan Leslie and James Craig as a roaring rodeo two-some battling their wits against the killer stallion, the White Outlaw and his herd of wild horses. Thrilling scenes of Canada's own Calgary stampede showing chuck wagon racing, broncho riding and various competitions which made "Northwest Stampede" tops in entertainment.



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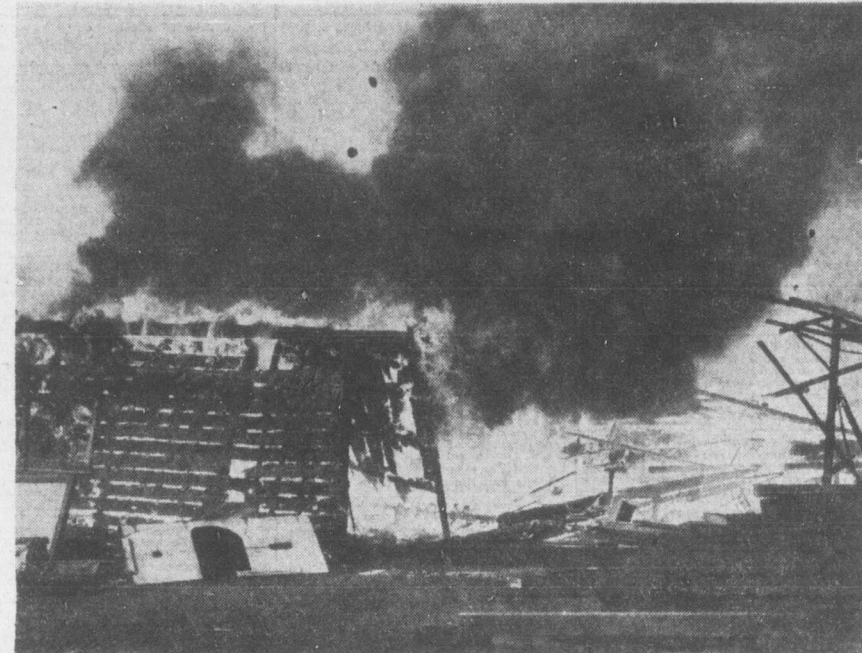
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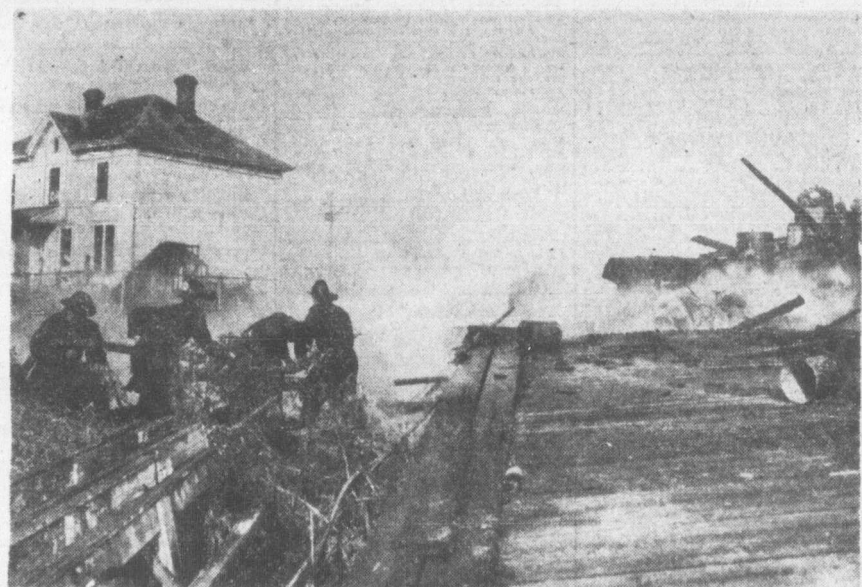
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Metal Roof Prevented Spread Of Fire Which Threatened James Bay Area



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Firemen pouring water on smoldering ruins of warehouse. Tin roof on Wilby machinery shop at left credited with preventing spread of fire northward along Montreal Street.

A corrugated iron roof on an adjacent structure is credited with playing a big part in averting the spread of fire to major proportions Wednesday evening when a spectacular wind-fanned blaze on Montreal Street destroyed a large marine warehouse on the property of MacKay-Cormack Ltd., shipbuilding firm.

The blaze sent great billows of inky-black smoke skywards which could easily be seen from any spot in the city and by persons well out on the Saanich highways. It attracted thousands.

The big barn-like building, leased by Capital Iron Works from MacKay-Cormack, was stocked with dismantled ship machinery. Building was totally destroyed and most of the machinery inside was left a twisted mass by the intense heat.

Maurice Greene, manager of the Capital Iron Works, is out of town. Damage is estimated around \$20,000.

Victoria Fire Department got the alarm at 5.45. When headquarters and James Bay No. 4 station men and equipment arrived they found the building a mass of flames and starting to collapse in spots. It was beyond saving.

DANGER POINT CHECKED

However, Fire Chief Robert T. Brindle could see the great danger of the west-south 20-mile-an-hour wind spreading the fire northward on the Montreal Street toward the British-America Paint Co. Ltd. and ordered some efforts concentrated in this direction to halt any expansion.

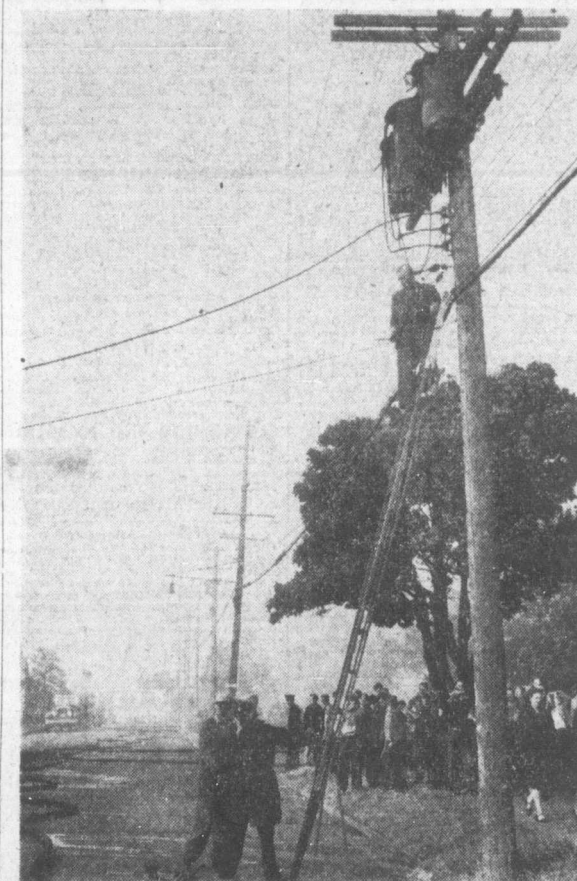
Thousands of feet of hose were laid to provide water to battle the blaze. An extra gang of fire-fighters was called into action. Embers whipped away by the strong wind, started fires on three roofs to the westward, the farthest 125 yards away, and a telephone pole on the northeast corner of Montreal and Quebec Streets.

Both Fire Chief Brindle and Assistant Chief Charles Dwyer were convinced that the corrugated iron roof covering two and a half story frame structure housing J. A. Wilby's machinery shop prevented the fire from spreading northward up the block.

They believe that if this had been a shingled roof the fire would have got a strong hold and passed on to other buildings up the line.

EMBERS CARRIED BY WIND

An ember blown by the wind did catch the west side eave of the building on fire, but firemen



Joseph Casey, B.C.E.R. line superintendent, on ladder, cuts power lines leading to warehouse.

soon put this out. A portion of the roof had to be axed out to get at it. Damage to this structure was not extensive.

Damage by water was the chief worry of Einar Tangaa's James Bay upholstery shop, 625 Montreal Street, closest building to the fire. Flames managed to penetrate the flat tin roof.

Sparks started the roof of the house owned by H. Gibson, 636 Montreal, on fire, but his son, Mervyn, and Jack Scott, son-in-law, secured some chemical extinguisher from B. W. Brown and Sons, wholesale fish dealers, gained the roof and put it out.

About 125 yards from the fire, shingles on the north side of the roof of Mrs. E. E. Emson's were fired, but quickly put out.

Joseph Casey, line superintendent of the B.C.E.R., attended and cut the power lines leading to the building. Grass near the flames caught fire.

'Blondie's Reward' Latest In Series

"Blondie's Reward," the new escapade of that wonderful fun family, the Bumsteads, will come to the Plaza Theatre today. According to advance reports, the 23rd comedy in Columbia's popular series promises to be a reward for movie fans, too, as these well-known characters hit a new high in hilarity.

The entire gang takes part in this latest adventure — Penny (Blondie) Singleton, Arthur (Dagwood) Lake, Larry (Alexander) Simms, Marjorie (Cookie) Kent, Jerome (Mr. Radcliffe) Cowan and Daisy, the pooch. There's also romance in "Blondie's Reward," with blonde Gay Nelson and Ross Ford together as a new team.

Japanese Spoken In Film At Rio

In the interests of realism Warner Bros. is doing something right that nobody'd know if it was done wrong anyway.

Which is to say that in the Cary Grant starring film, "Destination Tokyo," opening today at the Rio Theatre, when some Japanese intelligence officers speak Japanese, they'll really be speaking it.

Nobody who sees the film on the screen is going to know whether it's actually Japanese or not—since there are only a handful of people in the entire country that can understand that Oriental language.

Sgt. Ashe Leads Governor's Match In Ontario Shoot

LONG BRANCH, Ont. (CP)—Sgt. A. E. Ashe of Victoria, led the qualifying round for the Lieutenant-Governor's Match at the Ontario Rifle Association meet Wednesday with a score of 99 of a possible 100.

Firing 10 rounds at each of 300 and 600-yard ranges, the Canadian Scottish sergeant overcame tricky cross-winds to post his near-perfect score. Tied for second place with scores of 98 were Tr. P. Savage of Calgary and Cpl. L. N. Walker of Toronto.

Results of other matches included: Gibson Memorial, 200 and 600 yards—1, Flt. Sgt. J. R. Sullivan, R.R. 1, Sidney, B.C., 47; 2, Lt.-Col. S. Johnson, Calgary, 46. President's Match, 600 yards—1, Sgt. F. H. Wallace, Mount Dennis, Ont., 50; 2, Maj. Desmond Burke, Toronto, 49; 3, Lieut. D. O. White, Toronto, and Sgt. A. E. Ashe, Victoria, 49 (tie).

Air Force Appointment

OTTAWA (CP)—Wing Cmdr. E. M. Mitchell, 35, of Halifax, has succeeded Group Capt. J. B. Harvey, 36, of Winnipeg and Ottawa as director of air training at Air Force Headquarters, it was announced Wednesday. Group Capt. Harvey has been transferred to England to attend the joint services staff college.

CAPITOL THEATRE

Victor Mature, Coleen Gray and Glenn Langan appear in "Fury at Furnace Creek," which is now showing at the Capitol Theatre. A fiery saga of the winning of the West, the Twentieth Century-Fox picture was directed by Bruce Humberstone and produced by Fred Kohlmar.

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ATLAS—"Escape Me Never," starring Ida Lupino.

CAPITOL—"Fury at Furnace Creek," starring Victor Mature.

DOMINION—"A Midsummer Night's Dream," starring Olivia De Havilland.

OAK BAY—"Dear Murderer," starring Eric Portman and Greta Gynt.

ODEON—"Northwest Stampede," starring Joan Leslie.

PLAZA—Arthur Lake and Penny Singleton in "Blondie's Reward."

RIO—"Destination Tokyo," starring John Garfield.

ROYAL—"Dream Girl," starring Betty Hutton and MacDonald Carey.

YORK—"Copacabana," starring Carmen Miranda.

not reach other craft moored close by.

"The fire did not hurt our operations at all. We are operating today as usual," said Allan Cormack, partner in the shipbuilding firm.

He said there would have been great difficulty to operate had the power lines, which used to run through the warehouse yard, had not been switched to come in from another direction. This switch was done, he said, shortly after the firm changed hands.

In wartime the warehouse was used by Falconer Marine Industries to turn out small craft and lifeboats.

ROYAL THEATRE

Paramount's "Dream Girl," which is now at the Royal Theatre, has had a long and successful run as a play. Written by Pulitzer Prize-winning Elmer Rice, "Dream Girl" piled up 347 performances on Broadway and then hit the road, conquering audiences from coast to coast for 21 weeks.

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the title role, "Dream Girl" provides an entirely new and different type of vehicle. Betty is seen as an idealistic society beauty, whose notions about love and life get her into some strange situations.

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TENDERS

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned until 2:00 o'clock P.M. Regina, August 27th, 1948, for the diversion of Portage Creek and for channel improvement work on the Lillooet River between Lillooet and Tenaska.

The work is located in Lot 5536, New Westminster District, being Indian Reserve No. 1A, and in Lot 3612, New Westminster District, being covered by Timber License 93167 and on a strip of land between Lots 5536 and 3612. The general site of the work is approximately twenty-seven miles south of Pemberton, British Columbia, at the south end of Lillooet Lake.

Tenders must be submitted on the forms attached to the specifications, in the envelope provided. Bids are to be made in L.V.V. form as provided for in the specifications.

The following are the main items of work:

Clearing 63 acres

Channel improvement, 62,000 cu. yds.

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Plans, specifications and form of contract are on view at following places:

Burnett and McGowan, P.P.R.A. Office, Consulting Engineers, 415 Public Building, 644 Clarkson St., Calgary, Alberta.

P.P.R.A. Office, P.P.R.A. Office, 118 Victoria St., Kamloops, B.C.

Plans, specifications and tender forms for bidding may be obtained from P.P.R.A. office at Kamloops, B.C., and Regina, Sask., upon the deposit of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) cash or a certified cheque for the same amount, payable to the Receiver-General of Canada, which deposit will be refundable upon return of the plans and specifications in good order within one month after tenders have closed.

Any tenders which are not prepared strictly in accordance with the "Instructions to Bidders" may be rejected.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order, L. B. THOMSON,

Director of Rehabilitation.

910 McCallum-Hill Building, REGINA, Saskatchewan.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**Notice to Contractors**

Construction of Steel Ferry Boat for Francois Lake

Separate sealed tenders, endorsed "Tender for Steel Ferry Boat for Francois Lake" will be received by the Minister of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., up to 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, August 31, 1948, and opened in public at that time and date, for the construction of steel ferry boat for Francois Lake.

Plans and specifications, etc., may be obtained on deposit of the sum of ten dollars (\$10) at the office of the undersigned. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the plans and specifications, etc., in good condition.

Tenders must be accompanied by an accepted cheque made payable to the Minister of Public Works for the sum of fifteen thousand two hundred dollars (\$15,200), which shall be forfeited if the tenderer declines to enter into contract, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for.

The cheque of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them when the contract has been awarded.

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